THE WEATHER
The indications are that it will be fair tonight and also on Saturday. There probably will be light variable winds.

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TRAIN ROBBERS

Held up a Northern Pacific Train

THEY DYNAMITED THE EXPRESS CAR

Robbers Believed to be Railroad Men

BEAR MOUTH, Mont., June 17.—Two masked men held up the North coast limited Northern Pacific passenger train, east bound, at about a mile and a half east of this station during the night. As they were bringing the train to a stop they dynamited the express car, blew open the safe, and secured all of its contents. The amount secured is not known, but it is believed to be large. After blowing out the rear lights of the train, the two men disappeared.

The hold-up was similar to the one which occurred two years ago at nearly the same spot and in which Engineer O'Neil lost his life. The robbers boarded the tender of the engine at the Bear Mouth water-tank. After having remained quiet until the train had gone one mile and a half, they crawled up over the coal, covered Engineer Wade and Fireman Reed with their guns. The train was stopped and the engineer and fireman were marched back to the express car. The express messenger was commanded to open the door but refused. The engineer was then compelled to light a stick of dynamite placed against the car. The explosion completely wrecked the door and the engineer and fireman were compelled to precede the robbers into the car.

When admission was gained the robbers at once directed their attention to the strong box. Five sticks of dynamite were placed on top of the safe and ignited, but the force of the charge was insufficient and another one with a larger cap was used.

The second charge blew out the side of the car and threw the safe forty feet. After rifling the safe of its valuables, the robbers commanded the train crew to remain on the train and no harm would be done them. While this was going one one the robbers accidentally struck the engineer with his revolver and in apologizing called him by name, indicating a possibility that the robbers may be railroad men.

The crew was escorted back to the engine, the robbers extinguished the signal lights on the last car and disappeared in the darkness. Meanwhile the passengers were terror stricken and had crawled under everything that offered a hiding place. The rear brakeman meantime had run back to Bear Mouth where communication was had with Missoula. A posse was summoned and Supt. Thalmers' private car was soon on its way to the scene. Bloodhounds at Deer Lodge prison have been wired for. Four men are supposed to have composed the band.

BATTLE WITH ROBBERS.

BUTTE, Mont., June 17.—Many shots have been heard in the direction of Bear Mouth and it is believed that a battle has occurred with the Northern Pacific train robbers.

FUNERALS

CHOUINARD—The funeral of Ovide Y. Chouinard, who committed suicide Tuesday night, took place yesterday afternoon from his home, 10 Alder street. Burial was in the Edson cemetery, and Rev. T. G. A. Cote officiated at the grave. Undertaker Amedee Archambault had charge.

SANITARY COMMITTEE MEETING.

The committee on sanitaries, Councilman Hayes, chairman, is still on earth and will meet again on next Monday when it is expected Mayor Howe will appear before the committee and talk over the project.

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TWO FIFTY SHOES

You can buy Men's and Women's shoes for $2.50 most anywhere, but you can make a wager that you can't buy Shoes for $2.50 like ours anywhere. They are the latest Style Shoes, secured from one of the best makers in this State. If you would like to save 50c a pair on your footwear, invest in a pair of our $2.50 Shoes. The Men's Styles are made from Vici Kid, Velour Calf and Patent Colt. The Ladies' Styles from Vici Kid—in Lace and Button. The Oxfords: Vici Kid, Patent tip, Blucher Oxfords with Colt Vamp and Box Kid Top.

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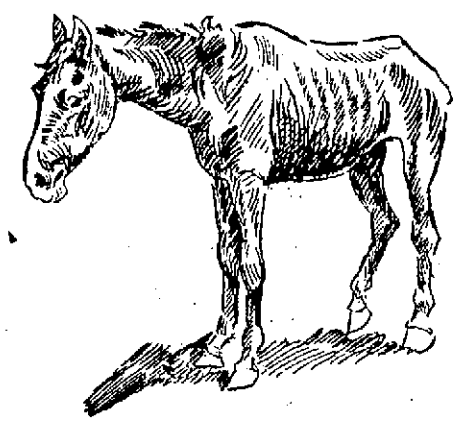
OPPOSITE CITY HALL.



SKETCH OF THE ABUSED ANIMAL.

HAD TO SHOOT HIM

Man's Cruelty to a Poor Old Horse

Tottering in all four limbs, the outline of every rib plainly visible, his shoulders galled and his flesh diseased, a poor old horse standing near the side of the road in North Chelmsford, attached to the remnant of an old-fashioned wagon, attracted the attention of, and appealed to, the sympathy of the good people of the village and they reported the case to Constable Wotton and he notified Agent Richardson of the Humane society.

Genero Moro, the owner of the horse, that years had robbed of his teeth and man abused, was in police court today charged with having in his possession June 14, a horse unfit for labor, suffering from galled shoulders and frebleness. He was found guilty and was fined $4.

Muro keeps a boarding house in Westford and in company with another Italian who escaped before Constable Wotton appeared on the scene, drove from Westford to North Chelmsford last Tuesday.

Muro was arrested on a warrant sworn out by Agent Richardson of the Humane society and the latter was disposed to be lenient with Muro because of the fact that the man is very poor and was made to believe by the other Italian that the horse was fit for work and that he would improve as time went on. The horse was purchased at an auction sale in Boston for the sum of $12.

As soon as Muro was spoken to by Agent Richardson about the horse he said he was willing to do whatever the agent might suggest and Mr. Richardson notified Constable Wotton to shoot the animal. The photograph which appears here was taken by Agent Richardson.

Muro was vey penitent in police court today and held his head down while Judge Pickman reprimanded him for his cruelty. In reply to questions by Agent Richardson, Muro said he did not know that the horse's teeth were gone. He said the other fellow told him the horse would be all right as soon as he was given a chance to rest and eat grass. Agent Richardson gave as his opinion that the horse was at least 25 years old.

MANY NEW NAMES

Are Piling on Assessors' Books

The assistant assessors are still at work on their books and they report that they find an unusual number of new names in all parts of the city.

This means a lot of work at registration for the candidates for political office this fall.

The assessors are of the opinion that aside from the many new residents coming into Lowell every day that all the old ones who went away during the strike are returning.

This is boys' week at the Merrimack. Special values today and tomorrow—across from City hall.

STRUCK BY ENGINE

RALPH CURRIER CAME NEAR BEING KILLED.

LYNN, June 17.—Ralph Winfield Currier, winner of the Phillips scholarship at Tufts college last week, had a narrow escape from being killed at the Market street crossing of the Boston & Maine railroad at 3.10 yesterday afternoon, and is now in the Lynn hospital with a broken leg and possible internal injuries.

Currier was in the act of crossing in front of a train coming from Boston, although the gates were down, and the locomotive struck him, throwing him some distance. The police ambulance was called and he was taken to the hospital.

Currier lives with his parents at 23 Blaney street, Swampscott.

Ladies' and Children's Silk Coats at half price at Chris. Holmes', 124-126 Merrimack street.

DEATHS

STANLEY—Gorge Stanley, infant son of George L. and Grace L. Pierce of Boston, died yesterday morning at 84 Worthen street, where its parents were visiting relatives.

SHEA—James W. Shea, aged 25 years, a well known young man of this city, died at St. Johns hospital yesterday. Deceased was a member of Company F, 1st N. H. Vol. and was also a Spanish War veteran. Mr. Shea is survived by a wife and two children. The body was removed to his residence, 11 Lagrange street by Undertakers O'Donnell & Sons.

FAY—Michael J. Fay, aged 37 years, the well known leather merchant, died this morning at his home, 167 Jewett street. The deceased is survived by a wife and mother.

MAGUIRE—Catherine Maguire, an old and highly respected resident of this city passed away last night at her late home, 97 Christian street. The deceased was well known especially by the older residents of Christian Hill and was a devout and constant attendant at St. Michael's church. She was 74 years of age and leaves to mourn her loss a husband, Michael and a family.

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ELECTED OFFICERS.

DETROIT, Mich., June 17—The supreme grand loyal orange lodge of the United States, closed its biennial session here last night with the election of officers, among them the following:

Most worthy supreme grand master, Dr. Henry Hull, Somerville, Mass., supreme grand secretary, Mrs. Christine Milligan, Saugus, Mass.; supreme grand treasurer, Mrs. Mary Given, Woburn, Mass.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

IN POLICE COURT

Boys Who Stole Pocket-Knife

MADE TOO MANY TRIPS TO HARDWARE STORE

Two Young Girls Devoid of Shame

FLIRTED WITH FRIENDS IN THE GALLERY

They Were Leading Idle and Vicious Lives

Michael Mitchell, 14, and George L. Wayne, 15, were in police court today charged with the larceny of a pocket knife. Their cases were continued to next Friday. Lawyer McClure appeared for the Mitchell boy and told the court that he would be able to secure bail for his youthful client. It was only yesterday, Mr. McClure said, that the Mitchell boy's mother was buried. The boys went into Napoleon D. Lafluer's hardware store in East Merrimack street yesterday and while one engaged the attention of the clerk the other made love to a pretty pearl handled knife. The boys made two visits to the store. It was during the first visit that the Mitchell boy took the knife and when he showed it to Wayne outside the latter suggested a second visit. They went back and the Wayne boy again engaged the clerk in conversation. The Mitchell boy, in his anxiety to "cabbage" another knife, dropped the one he had and the clerk took a stroll wiseward. Half an hour later the boys were at the police station.

SEEMED TO ENJOY IT.

Grace Grolette, 15, and Rosanna Belanger, 16, were charged with leading idle and vicious lives. As a general rule the young girl who is assigned to a seat on the prisoner's bench in the police court either cries or in some way appears penitent. Not so with the girls of this story. They laughed all through the session and before court opened they were winking and throwing kisses at their friends in the gallery. Both girls seemed to be bereft of all sense of shame and the stories they told the police of their lives during the last few weeks was as disgusting as it was sad. They slept in empty buildings and associated with men of as many different nationalities as they happened to meet in this cosmopolitan city. The girls were scantily clad when arrested by Officer Frank Fox in upper Moody street yesterday and they told him they had been without proper food for several days. The Grolette girl was continued to Friday and the Belanger girl, by request of her mother, was sent to the house of the Good Shepherd in Boston.

NO CHARGE AGAINST THEM.

James F. Gibbons, 15, and John F. Gibbons, 17, were arrested by Inspectors Lafiamme and Maher yesterday for the alleged larceny of a bicycle from a house in Tilden street. Today the boys were allowed to go as the charge against them was not pressed.

FOR DRUNKENNESS.

William H. Higson was placed on probation. Seven first offenders were fined $2 each and one was released.

COUNTING THE DEAD

Bodies Missing From Morgue and Can't be Found

NEW YORK, June 17.—Every hour adds to the horror of the excursion steamer disaster of Wednesday, when the General Slocum was burned to the water's edge near North Brother island. Divers had explored the wreck of the steamer yesterday and reported that no more bodies were to be found there, but shortly after daylight today, a diver found a large number of bodies packed tightly inside one of the paddle wheel boxes. The number is not yet known.

The coroner had arranged to visit the wreck today, for the purpose of ascertaining, if possible, what evidence of culpability on the part of the Knickerbocker Steamboat company or of the officials of the boat, if any, could be secured to present to the coroner's inquest. It was arranged to take the bodies out at that time.

At the various hospitals where the injured have been taken, it is said today their condition was very satisfactory. There are now 53 victims of the disastrous fire in the hospitals.

BODIES MISSING

DEPLORABLE BUNGLING IN MANAGEMENT OF BODIES.

NEW YORK, June 17.—It developed today that a new horror had been added to the terrible conditions resulting from the Slocum disaster, through the over-officiousness of some person at the morgue. As a result some of the bodies probably will never be identified. When the bodies were taken from the water, each was tagged with a number. That number was recorded and the papers, valuables and trinkets which would have served to identify the bodies were removed and placed in separate packages, having a number corresponding to that on the body. When the bodies were taken to the morgue they were placed in numbered boxes, but in many cases these numbers did not correspond with the figures the bodies previously had borne. As a result, the plans were completely upset and the numbered packages of valuables became practically worthless as a means of identification.

One case which came to the attention of the officials today was that of T. Hill of Williamsburg. Mr. Hill called at the morgue yesterday and identified the body of his brother-in-law, Mr. Ritcher, and the wife of the latter, and they were removed to the office of an undertaker. In the afternoon, the bodies of Catherine and Lillian Ritcher, 3 and years old, respectively, also were identified by him. When he called at the morgue today, with an undertaker the bodies could not be found. The bodies were numbered 173 and 176 respectively and the authorities at the morgue have no record of any such bodies having been given to any one though they had a record of the identification made by Mr. Hill on yesterday.

It is thought that some undertaker was given the bodies in place of two others which he should have taken, through a confusion in the numbers.

Secretary of Commerce and Labor Geo. B. Cortelyou, who had a long conference with Robert S. Redic, inspector of steamboats for the second district of New York, after his arrival here, said that he would give his personal attention to the investigation of the Slocum disaster. Mr. Cortelyou left today for Westfield, Mass., where he will deliver two addresses. He will return to New York tonight and begin at once upon the preparations for the investigation. Before leaving for Westfield, the secretary said: "I wish to say that a most thorough investigation will be made into this most awful tragedy and no stone will be left unturned to lay bare the whole truth with regard to this awful calamity."

THE HOSE BURST

STORY TOLD BY OFFICER EDWARD FLANNIGAN.

NEW YORK, June 16.—Edward Flannigan, chief officer of the Slocum, when questioned by Assistant District Attorney Darvin today denied that it was impossible to get water where the fire hose was attached. The supply of water was plentiful, but the hose, which was new, he said, burst in many places almost as soon as the water was turned on and became useless.

Among telegrams received by Mayor McClellan was one from Sir Thomas Lipton, expressing sympathy and offering $1000 toward a relief fund if needed. Another telegram was from Acting Chief Magistrate Bailey Sorley of Glasgow.

SCHOOL CLOSES

Graduation Exercises of St. Michael's School

The closing exercises of St. Michael's parochial school were held in the basement of St. Michael's church last evening, and eight students, two girls and six boys, received diplomas. There was a large attendance of parents and friends of the children, students and former graduates. Owing to the fact tha trecently the hall in the upper floor of the school had to be turned into class rooms on account of the increased attendance the exercises were held in the church basement, where an improvised platform had been erected.

The platform was tastefully decorated with national colors, potted palms and other greenery, while in the centre of the stage was a fine picture of Rev. John J. Shaw, pastor of the church, draped in the national colors. A fine entertainment was carried out by the students of the school, and from the applause given it was evident that the people present were well satisfied with the work of the children. The latter showed that they had been the recipients of careful and painstaking instruction by the sisters of the Dominican Order who presides over the school.

Among the distinguished people present were Rev. Louis A. Walsh, supervisor of the parochial schools of the archdiocese of Boston, Rev. Charles Sullivan, of Collinsville, who was recently ordained and Rev. John J. Shaw pastor, Rev. Eugene A. Carney, Rev. Francis Mullin and Rev. Denis Murphy of St. Michael's church and the sisters of the school.

Rev. Fr. Walsh, during the course of the entertainment, delivered a short address to the pupils, the graduates, and the fathers and mothers of the parish. He spoke of the fine manner in which St. Michael's parochial school was conducted under the guidance of the good sisters, who interested themselves in the welfare of the children whether in or out of school. He referred to the fine work of the pupils who took part in the entertainment and spoke generally of the high standard of the parochial schools of the parish. In closing he spoke words of advice to the graduates and also the pupils.

Rev. Fr Shaw presented the diplomas to the eight graduates who were as follows: Misses M. McDonough and Ellen Christian and James and Edward Murphy, Francis Reed, Thomas Nugent, Bernard Hurley and Thomas O'Brien. The reverend gentleman congratulated the students on the work they had performed since they entered the school and wished them success in their future walks, whether they he toward a further education or in the list of toilers.

The following progcam was carried out.

Greeting to Our Pastor, Minims
"When Our Country Calls" Chorus
2nd and 3rd Grade Boys.
"All Aboard," Operetta in 1 Act
4th and 9th Grade Boys.
"Music and Song" Vocal Duo
M. McDonough and M. Chisholm
Recitation "Rescued"
Mary Sorensen.
"My Sunny Southern Home," Chorus
Essay. Ellen Christina.
"Village Minstrels" Chorus
5th and 6th Grade Boys.
Recitation "Vision of St. Dominic."
Rose McDonough.
Little Mothers Chorus
2nd and 3rd Grade Girls.
When Papa Comes Home Vocal Duo
Edward and Gertrude Reardon.
Declamation "When Jack Died."
Thomas Hunt.
Uncle Sam's Drum Boys Chorus
4th Grade Boys.
"Lead Kindly Light" Pantomine
5th and 8th Grade Girls.
Declamation "Vision of Sir Launfal."
Valentine Tristan.
Topsy Turvy Song Boys' Chorus
"Little Washerwomen" Chorus
4th Grade Girls.
"Mother's Way" School Chorus
Parting Chorus 7th, 8th and 9th Grades
Addresses by Pastor and Clergy.
Miss K. Minihan, accompanist.

LADIES—

It isn't often you get such a chance to save on high grade suits as is offered this week at the Merrimack in their women's dept—they're selling their $18.50, $20 and $25 suits at $10. See them in their window.

NEW SEWER WORK

Must be Voted by City Council at Once

Unless the city council makes a move very quickly, two big gangs of sewer employes will soon be thrown into idleness and then there will be a howl against the members of the two branches.

The two big gangs referred to numbering several hundred men are now finishing up their work and at present there is no new work ahead and no sign of any. If these men get all through before the city council votes any more new work, it will be necessary for these men to suspend work.

As it takes some time to get a sewer resolution through the city council, the members of that body need to get down to business at once or city hall will be beseiged with idle employes.

How many votes will be cast by the winner of trip No. 1 in the World's Fair contest at the Merrimack? A $25.00 prize goes to the person guessing nearest the exact number. Open to everybody.

HIS HEAD CUT

RICHARD KNIGHT MET WITH PAINFUL INJURY.

Richard Knight, residing at the rear of 711 Lakeview avenue, while at work on Chemsford street today laying rails for the Boston & Northern Street Ry. Co., was struck in the head with a crowbar which slipped from the hands of another employe.

The ambulance was summoned and the injured man removed to the Emergency hospital where two stitches were taken in his head. A laceration on the nose was also dressed.

LATEST

FEARFUL HAVOC

Caused by Shell From a Russian Warship

TOKIO, June 17, 9 a. m.—Details in connection with the sinking of the Japanese transport Hitachi by Russian warships are being furnished by survivors. The Russian ships were sighted at 7 o'clock in the morning and in response to a signal the Hitachi was stopped but at 10 o'clock got under way again and attempted to escape. The Russians followed and opened a heavy fire directed at about the water line with the evident intention of destroying troops on board. The fire was terrific and in a few minutes the decks were covered with corpses and washed with blood. One shell struck the engine and killed 200 men. The ship began to fill and sank gradually by the stern. At 6 o'clock in the evening, she was completely submerged. Capt. Campbell, the English master of the transport jumped overboard at 2 o'clock in the afternoon and is numbered among the missing. The chief engineer was killed on the bridge. The commander of the troops ordered the flag to be burned and then killed himself. The second mate committed suicide. Many of the crew and troops escaped in the boats.

The transport Sado is still afloat but is badly damaged. She is being towed into the nearest port. She sighted the Russian ships 55 miles west of Shiro Island. Their signals to stop were unheeded so the Russians opened fire and signalled for those on board the Sado to leave the ship. Upon that the crew took to the boats and in this way many escaped when the ship was evidently fired by the enemy.

The number of men on board the transports and the list of casualties are not as yet obtainable, although one account says there were 1100 aboard.

WARNING ISSUED TO ALL CIVILIANS

VLADIVOSTOK, June 17.—The commander of the fortress Gen. Lavroff, has issued an order warning all civilians to make immediate provision to send their families into the interior so as to avoid peremptory exclusion at a moment of sudden necessity. There are 3000 women and children here.

THE DAVIS FUND

Mayor Wants it Invested Without Delay

Mayor Howe today called a meeting of the finance committee for next Tuesday and His Honor instructed the city messenger to inform the members of the committee that the meeting will be an important one as the committee will then decide how the Davis fund is to invested. Mayor Howe will sign the deeds tomorrow and he wants to get the money invested as soon as possible as it is now lying idle and not earning any money.

Women's high grade suits selling this week at $10.00—were $18.50, $20, $25—at the Merrimack—across from City hall.

INSTANTLY KILLED

WAGON FELL UPON JOSEPH DUNSTABLE.

QUINCY, June 17.—Joseph Dunstable, aged about 50 years, and employed on the Metropolitan boulevard at Atlantic street, was instantly killed while at work yesterday afternoon.

He was driving a gravel team, and the connecting link on the crossbar broke, allowing the wagon to come down against the horses. As the wagon swayed toward the edge of the embankment Dunstable jumped and fell down the embankment 25 feet, the wagon falling on top of him, fracturing his skull and crushing in his chest. Death was instantaneous.

Dunstable had been employed by the city but two days, and little is known regarding him. It is thought that he has a sister living in South Boston.

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"Hand Made."

A PERFECT SMOKE MARKSMAN UNION MADE 5¢ CIGAR

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THE "PHI ANNUAL"

The members of the Gamma Deta Psi Fraternity of the Lowell High school have produced a very interesting book entitled the "Phi Annual." The publication is in the form of a school calendar and directory and contains everything of interest in connection with the school. Messrs. Robert B. Parker and Marcus J. Cole are the editors and Mr. Schuyler R. Waller is the illustrator.

About Butter

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Yerxa's Best Flour,
80c bag, $6.25 bbl.

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Eight-day Kitchen Clock, hour and half-hour strike. Regular price $2.50
This special sale price..... $1.48
We also have Black Enamel Parlor Clocks, marble laid, cathedral gong.
Regular price $5.00. This special sale price..... $2.98
Regular $8.00 Parlor Clocks, perfect timekeepers. Sale price..... $4.98

GEORGE H. WOOD'S GREAT CLOCK SALE

which continues for a few days only. Get one of these Clocks and be on time.

BODIES OF VICTIMS

Brought From Burned Steamer, General Slocum, by the Divers

NEW YORK, June 16.—The loss of life by the burning of the General Slocum in the East river yesterday will approximate 1000. This estimate is based on the opinion of the chief of the fire department, coroner's officers and the board of police. At 1 o'clock this afternoon 504 bodies had been recovered, of which 155 had been identified. There were reported missing 467 persons and the hospitals had 117 injured.

The fact that 24 hours after the disaster there are still missing nearly 500 persons, which warrants the belief that the above estimate of the dead will be verified, for the authorities have used every source at their command to locate all who escaped.

Mayor MacClellan announced this afternoon that he had decided to issue a proclamation asking for subscriptions for the burial of the dead and for such other immediate relief as could be given. He said he would ask the men of prominence to serve on a committee to take charge of the fund. At an informal meeting of Lutheran ministers in the home of Rev. Haas, an appeal to the ministers of all denominations to assist in the funeral services of the General Slocum victims was prepared.

DEEDS OF HEROISM.

Unlike the Iroquois theatre and other great catastrophes of recent years, where the woe of the disaster reached throughout the land, the blow of the Slocum's mortality falls practically upon one little neighborhood of a great city. St. Mark's parish, which furnished nearly every victim, lies within 20 crowded blocks of the Middle East Side and therein today is hardly a house that is not one of mourning. The membership of the little Lutheran church is practically German or of German descent and all of them comparatively well to do. In the 10 minute race of the ly well to do. In the 10 minute race of the was discovered until her bows crashed on the shelving beach of North Brother Island, there were many deeds of heroism which make the one bright chapter in the heart-rendering story. Brave men, devoted mothers and even maidens and youths of tender years each contributed their part to the roll of heroic acts.

There were rescues in the face of almost certain death and useless but exalted self sacrifice for dear ones. The credit for the greatest saving of life is due to the hardy tug boat men and other followers of the river who braved flames and held the noses of their boats against the fire wrapped steamer until driven off by the awful heat, scorched and choking. Dead bodies of women were found with their burned arms clasping close the pitiful forms of little children; and babies were found, their tiny arms enfolding each other in the stiff embrace of death. But there is a darker sight hinted all along the river side, where there is told stories which seem to be the inevitable accompaniment of all the great calamities.

ACTS OF COWARDICE.

There has been no evidence of a character specific enough to fasten it upon individuals and permit of punishment, but survivors and eye witnesses say that some brutal acts of selfishness and cowardice on the part of the Slocum crew were seen and that distress signals from the burning boat were disregarded by passing craft. One man avers that a big white yacht passed the Slocum when the bodies of women and children were going overboard and did not even slacken speed. According to this man, the yacht flew the pennant of the New York Club, but she also flew the absent pennant, indicating that the owner was not on board. After passing the Slocum, the yacht steered over to the western shore and hove to, while on her bridge a man in uniform with binnoculars to his eyes watched the vessel burn.

Even more horrible than this and similar acts of incredible callousness is the story of Miss Martha Welrk, who says that while she struggled in the water a boat came alongside of her and the men in it after stripping her of her rings and other jewelry pushed her back into the water. The body of the steward had been rifled when found and of several hundred dollars he was supposed to have in his pockets not a cent was found.

There is open criticism of the failure of the Slocum's officers and crew to meet the emergency, but as yet no formal action has been taken by either the municipal or federal authorities. Capt. Van Schack and the two pilots are under arrest but are held only as witnesses. That there was terrible failure to meet the responsibilities is undoubted. No effort as far as can be learned was made to launch the life rafts or boats and no concerted attempts made toward equipping the helpless women and children with life preservers. But few of those rescued and but few of the bodies recovered from the river had on life preservers and according to several statements most of those supposed instruments of safety were practically worthless, either coming apart when attempt was made to use them or not possessing the buoyancy they are supposed to have.

TOLD DIFFERENT STORIES.

There is very general criticism of the captain and pilots for their failure to run the vessel ashore the moment they were informed that the fire had gained headway. Captain Van Schack has made several statements varying in detail but none of them is considered as satisfactory. Pilot Evan Wart, however, today said he could not dock the vessel because all of her hawsers had been burned. He also claimed that it would have been impossible to beach the steamer sooner than he did because of the presence of rocks all along the shore.

The Long Island shore was being patrolled by the police in boats today. It was expected that many bodies would be washed up on the Long Island shore at the turn of the tide.

DRIFTED TO SEA

MANY BODIES WILL NEVER BE RECOVERED.

NEW YORK, June 16.—The wreck of the General Slocum lies about 200 feet off Barrett's Point, with only a portion of the one paddle wheel box above water. Two fleets are making floats fast to the bow of the boat and divers are continually going down into the water. Later in the day they will go under the wreck, and it is thought they will find a great many victims there.

In the opinion of rivermen most of the bodies will be found at some distance down the river and some may drift out to sea, because of the tide, and never be recovered.

An illustration of the extent to which sympathetic feeling is aroused was given today when a large undertaking corporation formally offered to give free burial to the bodies of those persons whose relatives might be unable to care for them. This offer was followed by one from a cremation company, extending the use of its plant free of charge.

Telegrams and letters of sympathy for the congregation of the church are coming in. Among the messages were two from representatives of British Sunday school organizations.

Thos. F. A. Barnby of the Knickerbocker Steamboat company, the owners of the steamer General Slocum, made a general denial today of the reports that the steamer was equipped with worthless hose and life preservers and that the life boats and life rafts were lashed to the steamer with wires.

"The apparatus for fire fighting on board the boat at the time of the accident was of the very best that money could buy," said Mr. Barnby. "The boat was overhauled early this year and we spent over $30,000 on her in refitting machinery, in hose extinguisher pumps and machinery as well as for life preservers. The fact that the vessel was rated as an A1 risk, is the best evidence that everything was done that human foresight could provide. The story that boats and rafts were tied down with ropes and wires, the former so covered with her paint that they resisted a knife, is absolutely false. The life rafts were simply laid on the deck. I venture to say that many people were killed simply in the effort to get at the boats. We had over 500 life preservers more than the legal capacity of the boat. The allegation that they were old, rotten and worthless is not true."

Mr. Barnby said the company was making an investigation of the disaster on its own account. He said that personally he believed the fire started from spontaneous combustion in the store room.

CORONER BERRY

WANTS MEMBERS OF CREW TO GIVE TESTIMONY.

NEW YORK, June 16.—The preliminary investigation into the cause of the disaster was begun by Coroner Berry last night and continued today. Every person known to have witnessed the tragedy or thought to have any knowledge that would be of value in fixing the cause or responsibility had been summoned to appear and tell their stories. Many members of the crew all of whom the coroner believes could give much important testimony have disapeared, but subpoenas have been issued and detectives were making a search of the city for the missing ones.

The coroner stated today before the examination of witnesses was begun that nothing final was expected from this preliminary investigation. It was made merely for the purpose of weeding out the material from the immaterial testimony and reducing the matter to a firmer working basis.

Separate investigations also are being made under the direction of the fire marshal and the district attorneys office respectively. Both, however, were in the preliminary stage today and it was thought that some time would elapse before anything definite was developed.

OFFERS OF AID

HAVE BEEN RECEIVED FROM MANY SOURCES.

NEW YORK, June 16.—The mayor has received many telegrams of condolence and offers of assistance from other cities.

Collector of the Port Stranahan sent a communication to the supervising inspector of steam vessels in this port asking for a conference tomorrow for the purpose of making more effective the inspection of excursion steamers in regard to the numbers of passengers carried.

PRELIMINARY REPORT

SENT TO THE SUPERVISING INSPECTOR.

WASHINGTON, June 16—Supervising Inspector General Uhler today received from Robert S. Rodie inspector of the second district at New York, a preliminary report of the accident. Inspector Rodie, as soon as he learned of the fire went to the scene in the wrecking boat Chapman. In his report to Gen. Uhler, after giving statistics of the vessel and crew Inspector Rodie says that the records of the officers show the General Slocum's equipment consisted of 2650 life preservers in sight, within easy reach; six life boats and four life rafts. All the boats were swung under davits. She was supplied with two hand fire pumps and a double acting steam fire pump, with 400 feet of 2½ inch hose and 200 feet of 1-2 inch hose, all in good condition with water pipes and hose connections to the upper deck.

In addition she was supplied with 30 fire buckets, three water barrels, four water tanks and ten fire axes. The report from the hull inspectors' books shows the boat was in good condition and seaworthy for her route. Her route permitted her to navigate the waters of the bay and harbor of New York and rivers tributary thereto, Long Island Sound and coastwise between Rockaway Inlet and Long Beach.

ALLEGED MURDERER

MAY NEVER BE BROUGHT TO TRIAL.

LAWRENCE, June 16—Apropos the capture or trial of Angello Parillo, the alleged murderer of Michael Moher, a well known bartender in this city on June 3rd, 1903, it is doubtful if Parillo will ever be punished.

As has been well known for some time Parillo is in Italy, evidently going there to seek refuge, which to a certain extent the government of the country provides for its natives.

If requisition papers could be obtained and Parillo brought to this side of the water, he would with all probability be convicted and sentenced to a long term in prison, if not capital punishment.

The authorities seem to be unable to acquire the necessary papers for his importation into this country, hence it is apparent that he will go free, as the expense of sending witnesses of the tragedy to Italy to testify before the courts of that country is enormous, and the state which would have to liquidate the expense incurred, has not consented to such expenditure.

An Italian who committed a murder in Boston some years ago, and who went to Italy, was tried and convicted in that country, receiving a sentence of seven years in jail.

STUDENTS SUSPENDED

TROUBLE IN THE HIGH SCHOOL IN NASHUA.

NASHUA, June 16—Several members of lower classes were suspended by Principal Hastings yesterday. The principal had warned lower classes not to toss seniors, as last year one boy had broken his arm. This custom has prevailed just before graduation and consisted of lower classmen throwing seniors in the air. Notwithstanding orders, the custom was carried out, resulting in suspensions today to take place the first two school weeks in September.

RIGID INQUIRY

HAS BEEN ORDERED BY SECRETARY CORTELYOU.

WASHINGTON, June 16.—A rigid investigation of the General Slocum disaster, has been ordered by Secretary Cortelyou of the department of commerce and labor. The investigation will be conducted by the steamboat inspection service under the direction of Geo. Uhler, supervising inspector general. It will be conducted by General James A. Dumont and Thomas H. Barrett, constituting the local board of steamboat inspectors in New York.

U. S. CHARITIES

TREATMENT OF CRIMINALS WAS DISCUSSED.

PORTLAND, Me., June 16—The national conference of charities and correction is divided into sections of which those on "The treatment of criminals" and on "Children" were taken up today. The former was under the chairmanship of Rev. Frederick H. Wines of Upper Montclair, N. J., who was assistant director of the census of 1890 and is one of the veterans in correctional reform. The section on "Children" which was under the chairmanship of Amos W. Butler of Indianapolis, was of interest. Manual Training as educational lever in dealing with all sorts and conditions of children was taken up. Theodore F. Chapin, Supt. of the Lyman school, Westboro, Mass., told what it means in work with white children. Wm. E. Benson, Supt. of Kowaliga Institute, Kowaliga, Ala., reported its results with the colored boys and girls of Alabama and Hon. Wm. A. Jones, U. S. Commissioner of Indian affairs, Washington, D. C., showed how the present day purpose grows up to the full stature of an American through this addition to the reservation school house.

Mrs. Florence Keller of New York City, secretary of the National consumers league, told of the progress in the child labor campaign.

Juvenile court judges and probation officers from half a dozen different states described the work of the children's courts. Quoting the statement that a single sentence to the chain gang, no matter how trivial the offense, usually makes the victim a criminal for life, Mr. Benson made a plea for educational measures of the right sort in preventing crime among colored people. He presented a study of conditions in a small Alabama community where two thirds are negroes, which apparently flatly contradicted the old charge that among them education and criminality go hand in hand. In the rural communities of the south, there are no organized charities, no institutions for rescue work, no juvenile reformatories for colored children, consequently the schools and churches must be the source of their moral uplift and inspiration.

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UP TO FAIRBANKS

The Republican Leaders Await His Reply

CHICAGO, Ill., June 16.—Senator Fairbanks is expected in Washington Friday, and when he arrives he will be told that he must give a direct answer to the question of whether he wants the vice-presidential nomination. He has been evading this issue several months, while his name has been prominently mentioned in connection with the second place, and no one has been able to get a direct answer from him. Gov. Durbin of Indiana, who will be one of the prominent delegates from Indiana, has tried to get Fairbanks to declare himself, but he has declined to make his wishes known. Other republicans from their states have made the same efforts, but they have secured no definite statement. His evasion has become a matter of embarrassment to the republicans who are assembling in Chicago.

It is known that Senator Fairbanks has been waiting to secure an understanding with President Roosevelt. Some time ago he went to New York and announced that before he returned he would have a conference with President Roosevelt. He waited in New York for several days, but received no intimation from Washington that his presence was desired at the White House. He returned to Indianapolis much disappointed because he had not been able to reach an understanding with the president.

Later on, one of his friends, Mr. Hemenway, the congressman from Indiana, chairman of the appropriations committee, went to Washington with a message from Fairbanks to the president. It was hoped at this time that the president would invite Fairbanks to Washington to see him. The president said that he would not interfere in the vice-presidential matter.

Since that time there has been no known expression of Fairbanks' wishes. It is known that he wants the nomination and that he expects the republican national convention to offer him the place. Friends of the president now here feel that Fairbanks will not be nominated unless a word from "higher authority" is given to make him the candidate. It is felt here that it would be humiliating for the republican party, through its organization, or through the president, a member of the party, to get down on its knees and ask any man to be a candidate on the national ticket. The president will not give the word.

It has, therefore, been decided that Mr. Fairbanks must make his wishes known. If he says he wants the place there will be a disposition to help him. If he says that he does not care, there will be an inclination to go to another state for a vice-presidential candidate. The party will not bow to Fairbanks. The president will not volunteer to help him.

If Fairbanks does not accept this view of the situation the friends of the president will take up Congressman Hitt. There is no disposition at this moment to draft Cannon. Fairbanks can have the place if he will tell his friends that he wants it. If he refuses to make his wishes known, the republican leaders will pass him by. They know there is no popular call for him, and that the matter is entirely in their hands.

DACEY ACQUITTED

WAS ACCUSED OF ATTEMPT TO COMMIT FELONIOUS ASSAULT.

BOSTON, June 16.—Matthew H. Dacey, the 16-year-old Medford boy, who was charged with attempt to commit felonious assault on Anno Franz, a Swedish domestic, on the road leading from Medford to Winchester last Easter Sunday afternoon, was acquitted by the jury after three hours' deliberation in the Middlesex superior court yesterday. Miss Franz could not positively identify the boy as her assailant; neither could any of the witnesses, Mr. and Mrs. Kidder, with whom the boy lives, and several neighbors testified in favor of the boy.

The government put on Officer J. J. Riley of South Boston, where Dacey formerly lived. He testified that Dacey was a bad boy, but on cross examination admitted that the worst thing he could say of the boy was that he was fined $5 once for violating a city ordinance. The officer admitted that he had had trouble with the boy's mother. Counsel Sisk contended that the officer was prejudiced and characterized the officer's testimony as "the most cruel thing" he had ever heard in court.

Asst.-Dist.-Atty. Bancroft asked the jury to find Dacey guilty of simple assault, with intent to rob, if it could not find him guilty of the greater charge. Dacey was arrested by a reporter of a Boston newspaper. Assistant District Attorney Bancroft in referring to the action of the reporter, characterized it as a "very fresh thing," but said that if he had not hit upon the right person the police would never have taken him into custody.

WEAVERS WITHDRAW

DECIDE TO QUIT UNITED TEXTILE WORKERS.

NEW BEDFORD, June 16.—The Weavers' union of New Bedford held a largely attended meeting last evening when officers were elected and considerable other business transacted. The most important action taken was a vote to surrender the charter held as a member of the United Textile Workers of America.

This means that the union will withdraw from the big organization.

There has been a growing feeling of discontent among the local weavers ever since the Dartmouth mill strike, and the principal reason for the decision in voting to surrender the charter and sever connections with the U. T. W. is the attitude taken by the officials of the national union during the strike, when it was expected from what the officials promised that aid would be forthcoming from the strong body with which the New Bedford Weavers' union was affiliated.

It is a matter of ancient history now how the New Bedford weavers were treated, but the members have just taken action in regard to the way they were used.

A communication from the United Textile Workers relative to the matter was received last night, which was read and placed on file, and the secretary was instructed to return the charter to that body and give the reasons therefor, as previously outlined.

OLDEST HARVARD GRADUATE.

LAWRENCE, Mass., June 16.—Rev. Jos. Warren Cross, the oldest graduate of Harvard university and of Andover theological seminary, observed the 96th anniversary of his birth at his home in this city today. Rev. Mr. Cross is in good health and does not use eye-glasses.

1000 PERISHED

Japanese Transports Were Sunk by the Russians

TOKIO, JUNE 16., 8 P. M.—IT IS REPORTED THAT THE TRANSPORTS HITACHI AND SADO WHICH WERE SUNK BY THE RUSSIANS, CARRIED ONLY 1,100 MEN. IF THIS IS TRUE, THE LOSS OF LIFE IS PROBABLY ABOUT 1000.

THE TRANSPORTS, HOWEVER, HAD MANY HORSES AND LARGE QUANTITIES OF SUPPLIES ON BOARD.

RUSSIANS REPULSED BY JAPANESE

TOKIO, June 16.—In a fight which is reported to have taken place at Tolisou on the railroad about 80 miles north of Port Arthur, the Russians lost 500 men killed, 300 taken prisoners and 14 guns. The casualties on the Japanese side are estimated at 1000 men killed and wounded.

IMMENSE TRENCH AT PORT ARTHUR

CHE FOO, June 16—5 p. m.—Eight junks arrived here today from Port Arthur, all of them loaded with Chinese. They left that town yesterday. Up to that time the conditions there were unchanged. Small skirmishes are reported continually ashore and the Japanese ships throw a few shells daily into the city, around which the Russians have just completed an immense trench.

100,000 MEN WILL MAKE ATTACK

CHE FOO, June 16—Noon—From a reliable source, it is learned that the Japanese had sixty thousand men on the Liao Tung peninsula ten days ago. It is believed that it is their intention to use 100,000 men in the attack on Port Arthur. Possibly it will be a fortnight before they are ready to make the expected attack.

A Chinese who was employed in the machine shops at Port Arthur is authority for the statement that the repairs to the Russian warships only consisted of placing sheets of steel over the damaged parts. There was no attempt made to replace the damaged ribs. He also confirms previous Chinese reports to the effect that of the fleet of battleships and cruisers only five are capable of fighting. According to the best information, these vessels are the battleships Poltava, Sevastopol and the cruisers Bayan, Askold and Novik.

Some contend that the battleship Pereevit and the cruiser Diana are not damaged.

The Chinese machinist says the machinery of a large vessel, the name of which is unknown to him, was wrecked by a shell.

TWO TRANSPORTS WERE DESTROYED

TOKIO, June 16, 6 p. m.—All doubt as to the sinking of the transports Hitachi and Sado by the Russians has been removed. Three hundred and ninety-seven survivors of the Hitachi have arrived at Moji and 158 survivors of the Sado have arrived at Kokura. Details of the destruction of the two transports and the full extent of the casualties are not obtainable.

REPORT OF FIGHT AT WAFANGTIEN

ST. PETERSBURG, June 16.—Emperor Nicholas has received the following despatch dated June 15 from General Kuropatkin: "An engagement occurred June 1 at Wafangtien (north of Port Arthur) with a Japanese force numbering at least two divisions. Our losses in killed include Colonel Kponstonnow, commanding the first regiment of eastern Siberian rifles of your majesty, and Second Lieut. Dragostaff Nadochinsky, adjutant of the regiment. The wounded include Major General Gerigoss, who remained in the field, and Captain Krintski of the general staff. Twenty officers, whose names at present are unknown, were killed and wounded besides 311 soldiers of which the regiment of Siberian rifles lost 12 officers and 200 men and the first brigade of artillery six officers and 50 men.

"The following night was quiet until 2 in the morning when a fusilade began on our right flank, along the line of our outposts. The firing soon slackened. At 5.30 o'clock in the morning the Japanese artillery opened on our left flank. Shortly before this our cavalry discovered on our right flank the presence southward of Tafanchou, of a considerable force of the enemy. The Japanese infantry opened fire on our cavalry, occupying the heights between Tafanchou and Lanchou on the edge of a wood. Towards 6.30, the enemy consisting of a regiment of infantry with artillery attacked from the woods. At the same time the cannonade on our left flank became heavier. At 6.30 General Baron Stakelberg passed with part of his force to the attack, turning, the right flank of the enemy towards Wafangtien and Hunchou and directing the other part of his force against the front. Towards 10 in the morning the enemy sent a brigade of infantry, cavalry and a battery of artillery against our right flank and having repulsed our detachments of cavalry, proceeded through Hunchou, turning the right flank of our position.

"General Stakelberg at 10.30 in the evening advanced his reserves to check this movement. According to information, the enemy during the morning of June 15 brought up considerable reinforcements and main Japanese army, consisting of upwards of three divisions—"

The despatch breaks off at this point.

FIGHTING REPORTED AT PORT ARTHUR

NEW CHWANG, June 16—3 a. m.—Firing has been heard distinctly in the direction of Kai Chou since 10 o'clock last night. Two batteries of artillery rushed through town at midnight. The second division of General Kuroki's army was reported to be marching towards Kai Chou yesterday afternoon for the purpose of taking the enemy in the rear.

It is positively known that the Russian forces in the vicinity of Kai Chou are divided. Half are at Kaichou and the remainder about twenty miles east of there. The entire force numbers 35,000 men, including 600 Cossacks. There are rumors here of fighting at Port Arthur with the Japanese almost in the city. A private letter from Mukden says the press correspondents there are not hopeful of getting news from the Russians who give every indication that the correspondents are not wanted.

Many of the correspondents are preparing to leave.

LOSS OF LIFE WILL BE HEAVY

TOKIO, June 16—10.30 a. m.—The transport Hino which has returned to Moji reports that she encountered the Russian Vladivostok squadron at 11.20 a. m. yesterday, twenty miles did rad a. m., yesterday, twenty miles west of the Island of Shiro of the Oki group. The transports Hitachi, 6,172 tons and the Sado, 6,219 tons, were seen two miles to the westward. The weather was foggy and the sea was calm. When the Hino sighted the Russian fleet, she turned, ran and signalled a warning to the Kanazawa and they both took refuge inside the island Chiyli. Both signalled danger to the Ibu, which also escaped. The Hino saw the Hitachi and Sado surrounded by the Russian vessels, but their fate is unknown. The loss of life will probably be heavy.

JAPANESE VICTORY NEAR FUCHOW

LONDON, June 16—A despatch to the Daily Express from Tokio dated June 15, says news has been received there but has not yet been officially published, of a great Japanese victory near Fuchou on the railway 70 miles north of Port Arthur. The Russians it is added, were overwhelmed, lost a thousand men, left all their guns on the field and retreated in disorder.

The Daily Chronicle's correspondent at Tokio cables the same news, adding that the Russians to the number of 7000 men are now in full flight towards Tshichaiso and Kaiochow.

HE WAS STARVING

Hunger Forced a Fugitive to Surrender

UTICA, June 16—After six days of freedom, following his desperate break for liberty while awaiting transfer to Auburn prison, where he was to begin serving a sentence of three years for attempting to murder his divorced wife, Henry S. Burkarth again is prisoner in the Utica jail. For six days he baffled the efforts of his pursuers living in the deep underbrush of the Adirondack forest, near Gray, Herkimer county, and subsisting on dandelions and wintergreen. When made desperate by lack of food and water—for in six days he had but a single meal—Burkarth late yesterday afternoon made known his identity to two farmers' lads who procured him food and water and afterward delivered him to the authorities.

As a result of the terrible privations he experienced while eluding capture, Burkarth is a physical and mental wreck, and it is unlikely that he will ever wholly regain his reason. When brought to the jail at midnight last night his pockets were filled with dandelions and wintergreen, which he ate ravenously. He wore only a waistcoat, hat, shirt, trousers and shoes, and these were in tatters, the fugitive having walked nearly one hundred miles, swum three rivers and ridden twenty five miles with farmers. And when he finally surrendered he was within thirty-five miles of the point from which he started.

His former wife, for whose attempted murder he was sentenced and with whom he was perfecting plans for their remarriage at the moment of his break for freedom, now avers that the reconciliation is off and she will never see him again because of his attempt to defeat the ends of justice.

Burkarth, in his lucid moments, describing the close pursuit of him by posses of deputies, says that on one occasion as he lay in the thick underbrush he could have reached out his hand and touched his pursuers. On another occasion he sat in a tree and listened to the deputies lay plans for his capture.

NAN PATTERSON

WANTS RIGHT TO INSPECT THE RECORDS.

NEW YORK, June 16.—Consul for Mrs. Nan Patterson, who is under indictment for the murder of Caesar Young appeared before Judge Newberger in the court of general sessions today and made a motion for an order permitting an inspection of the minutes of the grand jury. The motion was opposed by a representative of the district attorney's office. Mrs. Patterson was not in court. Judge Newberger took the motion under advisement and said he probably would give his decision tomorrow.

ELTZ INDICTED

ON CHARGE OF MURDERING JAS. E. TANDY.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., June 16.—Among the true bills returned by the grand jury which reported today, is one against George F. Eltz on the charge of murder in causing the death of James T. Tandy in this city last March. No indictment is found against Alexander Nyborg, accused of the murder of William J. Mullaly.

VETERANS' BOUNTY

WILL NOT BE PAID UNTIL LEGALITY OF ACT IS SETTLED.

BOSTON, June 16—State Treasurer Bradford has informed secretary of state Wm. N. Olin, temporary secretary of the commission appointed to carry out the terms of the recently enacted soldiers bounty bill, that there is no money in the treasury to pay bounties, until the question of the constitutionality of the act has been passed upon. The treasurer has written to attorney general Herbert Parker for a formal opinion on the law.

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FROM YESTERDAY'S LATE EDITION

HER ARM BROKEN

Lowell Woman Thrown From Automobile

Dr. and Mrs. Bellehumeur started on a ride in an automobile to Nashua this afternoon to deliver some goods. Just opposite the second pumping station on the boulevard a dog ran out and the automobile ran over the animal. The automobile was upset and Mrs. Bellehummer's left arm was broken. Dr. Bellehemeur was badly shaken up.

BITTEN BY DOG

JULIA LAPIERE SAYS HE MUST BE KILLED.

Julia Lapierre of Shaw street, who was badly bitten by a Shepherd dog a few days ago, called at the police station this afternoon to find out if the dog had been killed. She did not get the desired information but the officer in charge told her that he would send an officer to investigate the matter. The dog was owned by a man living in E street. The woman said that the doctor who dresser her wounds had advise dher to see to it that the dog was killed.

RIB FRACTURED

PATRICK FOX WAS STRUCK BY ROLL.

Patrick Fox, residing at Coleman's boarding house on the Merrimack corporation, while at work in the Merrimack mills this morning, met with a painful accident. He was on an elevator which was loaded with rolls. One of the rolls fell off, striking his right leg and fracturing a rib. He was removed in the ambulance to the Lowell hospital, where his injuries were attended.

FRED BILLINGSLEY

ENJOYED THE SIGHTS AT THE ST. LOUIS FAIR.

Mr. Fred Billingsley of Concord street, has returned from a two weeks' visit to the St. Louis fair. Mr. Billingsley went to St. Louis unaccompanied, but while there met the members of the Lowell party that included the police board and the water board and returned with them. He says that the exposition is a grand display, with attractions that would occupy a person's time for several weeks if he attempted to "take them all in." He was greatly impressed with the grand illumination of the grounds in the evening and says that this feature in itself impresses all who witness it. "We had a most enjoyable time," said Mr. Billingsley, "and the best of it was that each one of the party did his best to make the others happy." "We saw all the main attractions of the exposition and the instruction afforded one who makes a tour of the grounds and observes the work of the different peoples who have come from many climes to help make the exposition a success, is well worth the trip to St. Louis."

FUNERALS

DESROSIERS—The funeral of Mrs. Elmire Desrosiers, widow of Prosper Desrosiers, took place yesterday from her home, 350 Aiken street, and the funeral services were held at St. Jean Baptiste's church. Rev. Fr. Lewis, O. M. I. officiated. The bearers were Geo. Mahen, Artheme Desrosiers, Maxime Labreeque, Arthur Champagne, Eusebe Delorme and Alfred Champagne. Burial was in St. Joseph's cemetery, and Rev. Fr. Diss, O. M. I., officiated at the grave. Undertaker Joseph Albert had charge.

MURPHY—The remains of Michael Murphy, who died at the city hospital, were taken to the funeral chapel of J. F. O'Donnell & Sons, where they will be kept until claimed. He is said to have a brother-in-law working in the Hamilton mills.

LOWELL BOY GRADUATED.

P. J. Meehan of this city was among the graduates from Tufts college yesterday.

He received the degree of M. D. and will begin the practice of medicine in this city; Dr Meehan is a graduate of the Lowell High school and of St. Bonaventure's college at Allegany, N. Y. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Meehan of Worthen street.

FINGERS INJURED.

John Irwin, while at work at the Bay State mills this morning, caught the 2d and 3d fingers of his left hand in a picker machine. At the Emergency hospital, where he was taken, five stitches were taken in the wound.

MATRIMONIAL

Mr. Frank Raymond and Miss Georgianna Secord, both of this city, were united in marriage in Lynn yesterday by Rev. Fr. Owens.

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EDWARD F. O'SULLIVAN

THE LATE EDWARD F. O'SULLIVAN.

Former Political Writer for The Sun is Dead

LAWRENCE, Mass., June 16.—Edward F. O'Sullivan, the well known politician and newspaper man, died of kidney disease at his home here this morning, aged 46 years. He represented the Lawrence district in the senate in 1886 and 1889. He was educated at Ottawa and engaged in newspaper work in Albany, N. Y., later becoming attached to The Lowell Sun. He worked on the Lawrence Sentinel also and was always active in the politics of this city. He served with the Ninth Mass. regiment in the Spanish war. His political work was widely printed in the press of the country, frequent contributions appearing in the New York Sun, Puck, the Boston Pilot and other publications.

Edward Francis O'Sullivan was born in Lawrence, June 23, 1858, and was graduated from the public schools in the High school class of 1876. He then completed his studies at the University of Ottawa, Can., in 1882. During his latter years in Ottawa his ability as a student was so marked that he gave his extra time to teaching, and upon graduating declined a lay professorship at the University. Two years later the faculty of Ottawa conferred upon him the degree of master of arts.

In 1883 he entered the field of politics and his success was instantaneous. A born public speaker he possessed a charm of manner that won him friends wherever he appeared, and he was elected to the house of representatives in that and the following year. From 1886 to 1889 he represented this district in the senate and then became famed throughout the state as an eloquent advocate of better conditions for the laboring classes under the soubriquet of the "Fair-haired Mill Boy" of the senate. During his career at the state house he was a member of several important committees, notably labor, military and election law, and was one of the best known and most popular men ever sent to the state house.

He was a member of the volunteer militia for over a dozen years, in the 9th regiment passing through all the grades until having won a captain's shoulder straps he gave up his commission in 1890. But he ever kept in touch with military affairs, and when the Spanish war broke out he re-enlisted with his old comrades of Company F, 9th infantry, in the humble position of private. But a man of extraordinary ability he was not to be kept in the ranks and during the Cuban campaign worked himself up again to the rank of second lieutenant.

In connection with his second experience as a soldier a sad incident occurred which proved a turning point in the career of the deceased. Throughout all his successes and reverses, political, literary and others, O'Sullivan's staunch friend and helpmate was his beautiful wife, a highly accomplished woman of literary turn of mind and a teacher of elocution. When the 9th started for home the deceased was one of those whom fever had stricken down and he was shipped with others on a hospital ship bound for Montauk. On the same ship was another member of the 9th from Worcester of exactly the same name as the deceased. Fever drove the Worcester soldier insane and in a moment of high delirium he jumped overboard and was drowned. A neighbor of the deceased upon reading the account of the case in the newspaper dispatches mistook the name and rushed into the home of the deceased to inform his wife, and the shock broke the poor woman's heart and she died within a few hours after hearing the news. For a long time the deceased was not informed of his wife's tragic death and upon learning it he seemed to lose all interest in life and ere long the first signs of the illness which finally caused his death made their appearance upon his robust physique.

Mr. O'Sullivan spent most of his life in the newspaper business and at that he had no superior in New England. He was thoroughly at home in prose or verse and whether contributing original articles to periodicals, writing editorials on the topics of the day or in the ordinary routine of the reporter he was the expert newspaperman. He began his newspaper career while yet in college as a correspondent from the Canadian capital and later as a reporter on the Knickerbocker Press of Albany. Later he was political editor of the Lawrence Morning News and more recently of the Lawrence Sunday Press. When The Sun began a daily paper in 1892 he became its political editor and contributed much of the political matter therein under the well known soubriquet of "Spellbinder." After leaving The Sun he returned to Lawrence and being a civil engineer, among his other accomplishments, accepted the position of assistant city engineer which position he held barring his time of service in Cuba, continuously up to the time of his last illness.

His duties in City Hall gave him ample opportunity to keep up his literary work and from time to time articles in prose and verse have appeared in periodical literature from his pen, all winning appreciative consideration for the style and finish of his work.

He was ever in demand on the campaign stump and was a fluent and forcible speaker. For years he was the idol of Lawrence politics, but he liked politics for the pleasure and excitement afforded rather than for personal emolument and he declined to follow the beaten political path that would lead him to the mayoralty or congress. He was in politics only when politics were seething. When others laid plans for future campaigns Mr. O'Sullivan was giving his time to literary pursuits.

Personally he was a most companionable man. His was the happy faculty of never forgetting a face or name and all, from the wealthiest citizen in his private equipage to the dirt begrimmed shoveller in the trench, received a like a cordial greeting whenever and wherever he met them. His heart he carried on his sleeve and his smiling face reflected the genility of his soul. He was a Bohemian in the highest sense of the word and no gathering of true Bohemians in this vicinity was complete without the ever-welcome "Ned-O" as he was called by his familiars.

His death will be widely mourned and many will sorrowfully agree that the brightest mind in Lawrence went out, with the death of "Ned" O'Sullivan.

The deceased was a member of Lawrence Lodge, 65, B. P. O. Elks, Charitable Irish society of Boston, Knights of Columbus, American Irish Historical society, Spanish War Veterans and other organizations. He is survived by one son and several relatives, all residents of Lawrence.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

SOLDIER BURIED

Funeral of Late Patrick I. Mitchell

Private Patrick J. Mitchell of Company M, 9th Regiment, M. V. M., was buried in the Catholic cemetery this afternoon with military honors.

The funeral took place from the home of the deceased, 70 Dummer street at 2.30 o'clock. The funeral procession was headed by the General Butler Fife and Drum Corps, after which came the hearse and six bearers, three marching on each side of the hearse. The bearers were Privates James Reagan, Thomas Poole, Thomas Maloney, Albert Dunham, Edward Walters and Edward Allen, all members of the Company M basketball team, of which the deceased was also a member.

Following the hearse was the military escort, headed by Captain Philip F. McNulty.

There was a profusion of beautiful and appropriate floral tributes in evidence among them being a large pillow bearing the inscription "Comrade" from the members of Company M, and a large wreath from the members of the basketball team.

At the cemetery the military service was held after which the usual volley was fired over the grave. The last sad rites of the Catholic church were administered by Rev. James Walsh of St. Patrick's church. The funeral was under the direction of Undertaker Jas. F. O'Donnell & Sons.

STRUCK WAGON

MAN IN AUTOMOBILE DID NOT HAVE ROOM TO TURN.

The driver of an automobile got a little bit excited in Central street today and collided with a milk wagon. He attempted to turn the machine in too narrow a space. No serious damage resulted. The horse attached to the milk wagon started to run but was stopped by his driver.

MILLS WILL CLOSE

TWO DAYS' VACATION FOR MERRIMACK OPERATIVES.

A notice on the gates of the Merrimack mills states that the entire corporation will shut down tomorrow night until Tuesday morning.

PERSONALS

Mrs. F. P. Stewart has gone to Aylesford, N. S., for an extended vacation.

Miss Ida Marie Rogers sings tonight at a concert to be given in the Calvary Baptist church, Salem, Mass.

Gov. Bates has re-nominated Dr. Leonard Huntress of this city to be a trustee of the State farm and hospital.

Oliver A. Libbey of this city attended the dedication of the Red Men's hall at Leominster on Monday night.

Mr. A. C. Stickney, of this city, roadmaster of the Boston & Maine, is in New Hamphire on a tour of inspection with Supt. W. G. Bean of Boston.

Among the honorary degrees conferred yesterday at the commencement exercises at Tuft's college was that of honorary doctor of letters upon Mr. George H. Conley, formerly of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Robert Porter of 57 Lawrence street left last evening for a five weeks' vacation which will be spent at Burke, N. Y., and Huntingdon, P. Q.

Dr. Bonneville, the Merrimack street dentist, and Albert Johnson, the well known Central street druggist, attended the commencement and banquet of the College of Physicians and Surgeons of Boston, Wednesday. Dr. Alfred J. Bonneville, brother of Dr. Bonneville, was awarded a case of surgical instruments for obtaining the highest rank in the examinations of the course.

PROBATE COURT.

Wills presented for probate at Cambridge, June 14, 1904: Sidney Chandler, Somerville; Fanny Calef, Medford; Sarah Eaton, Reading; Ellen Hodgdon, Somerville; Edmund Blood, Townsend; Joshua Holbrook, Sherborn; Samuel Cushing, Medford; Eliza Vickery, Somerville.

Administrations: A. J. Hodges, Cambridge, Vt.; Caroline Diebner, Somerville; Jane Heydan, Cambridge; Ella Beals, Lowell; J. I. Barnard, Natick; Mary Rice, Marlboro; Giovanni Bressia, Cambridge; Daniel Finn, Cambridge; R. W. Harron, Everett; Catherine Hunt, Townsend; Maria Scully, Hudson; Harriet Swan, Lowell; C. A. Wormwood, Everett; G. N. Seaman, Stoneham; L. W. Slocum, Milwaukee, Wis.; Ella Williams, Newton; C. F. Lusk, Arlington; E. S. Abbott, North Reading; C. E. Miller, Medford; W. C. Waterhouse, Everett.

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15c bottle Mixed Pickles.....10c
10c bottle Pure Cider Vinegar 7c
12c bottle Bluing 8c
10c bottle Worcestershire Sauce 7c
15c bottle Ammonia.....10c
10c bottle Ammonia 5c
Kennedy's Soda Crackers..5c lb
Kennedy's Lemon Crackers..5c lb
Kennedy's Ginger Snaps..5c lb.
Kennedy's Nic Nac Crackers 5c lb.
Kennedy's Common Crackers 5c lb.
Kennedy's Tea Biscuits....8c lb.
Kennedy's Smyrna Fig Bars 10c lb.
Kennedy's Graham Crackers 10c lb.
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MORE WITNESSES

For Trial of Alleged Fight Promoters

A number of prominent men who attended the Kenny-Panz bout at Dewey grove a week ago tonight are doing some tall old thinking. A state officer was in Lowell today and procured a new list of names, including those of all the newspaper men, both local and form out of town, who were at the ringside. A professional man who was at the bout went looking for the state officer. He said he wanted to testify. "I'll be in court Saturday morning," he said, "even though I am not summoned to appear. I have attended all the bouts that have taken place at the grove and I stake my reputation on the statement that they were clever sparring exhibitions. There was no brutality allowed. It may be that the charter has been violated in some way, technical, and of which I have no knowledge, but I want to say a good word for the club. I like the sport and the bouts were all well conducted at the grove."

Besides getting a new list of names today the state officer summoned five more witnesses to appear i npolice court Saturday morning and he failed to locate others that he wanted to summon. Before leaving for Boston he left a list of names with the local police and asked them to seen the parties and notify them to appear in court on Saturday.

Lawyers who have talked the matter over, their opinions being based on what few points they could gather from different sources, are of the opinion that if any punishment is dealt out it will be in the form of small fines. One lawyer in talking the matter over with a representative of The Sun today said: "Take for instance Mr. Thyne. He was at the ringside as the representative of a newspaper. He was assigned to do that work he had to do it. He was asked, as a favor, to act in the capacity of timekeeper and he assented as any up-to-date newspaper man would do. It doesn't seem to me that there is any reason why he should be punished. He was no one of the promoters of the fight if such it can be called, he was a newspaper man who merely proved himself accommodating as newspapermen usually are. He should not be held under the circumstances as an offender against the law."

COUNTRY CIRCUS

SEVEN PROMINENT LOWELL MEN TO OFFICIATE AS CLOWNS.

There will never a circus come to Lowell as funny as the old fashioned country circus to be given at the Fair grounds on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of next week, for the benefit of the country week fund.

At least 35 prominent Lowell men will take part in it, not to mention the troup of professionals who have already been engaged. Four real circus tents, with their genuine circus seats and boxes, have been secured, and the ring performance will be worth going a dozen miles to see.

There will be seven clowns. There will be acrobats and bareback riders. There will be novelties that even Barnum couldn't buy. Just now the committee has its eye on a real Italian band to furnish the music.

Z. Winn Sturtevant has agreed to furnish the clowns. There isn't a man in town better qualified to do this, for Winn knows all the funny men and hasn't missed a circus himself since he was six years old.

It is understood that several Belvidere girls are to appear in the ring in a stagecoach act that will make a hit. A number of surprises are in store for the audience.

The committee in charge wants one thing understood. This is not to be an exclusive affair in the matter of disposing of the tickets. It is to raise money for the country week outing of the poor children of the city, and every class of people is earnestly urged to patronize the entertainment.

Tickets are now on sale at Ellingwood's store. Engage them early, for that will encourage the committee and enthuse the "performers." It will be a great show. And your money will help a good cause.

DEATHS

BRITTON—Mrs. Martha J. Britton, widow of Preston H. Britton and mother of ex-Chief Ruel F. Britton, died in Boston Tuesday while visiting in St. Botolph street. Her residence in this city was at 671 Middlesex street, to which place the body will be brought.

BROKER FOUND DEAD.

BRISTOL, R. I., June 16.—Thomas T. Eryee, aged 60 years, until within ten years a prominent member of the New York cotton exchange, was found dead this morning at a local sanitarium, death being due to heart trouble, for which he had been under treatment for about a year. He was a well known Shakespearian scholar. A son and a sister survive at his former New York residence.

NEWSPAPER MANAGERS.

ST. LOUIS, June 16—The annual convention of the National association of managers of newspapers' circulation which has been in session here has selected Toronto as the place at which to hold the next meeting in 1905. F. G. Hoy of the Indianapolis Ind., News was elected president and J. L. Boeshaus of the New Haven Register secretary and treasurer.

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Cyclone Swept Over Santiago De Cuba

SANTIAGO DE CUBA, JUNE 16—A CYCLONE OF UNUSUAL SEVERITY, ACCOMPANIED BY RAIN, HAS CAUSED GREAT DAMAGE TO THIS CITY AND THE SURROUNDING COUNTRY. THE DEATH LIST IS OVER 100 AND IS INCREASING. THE AQUEDUCT HAS BEEN DAMAGED AND A WATER FAMINE EXISTS.

GENERAL BOBRIKOFF MORTALLY WOUNDED

ST. PETERSBURG, JUNE 16., 1 P M.— GENERAL BOBRIKOFF GOVERNOR GENERAL OF FINLAND WAS SHOT AND MORTALLY WOUNDED AT 11 O'CLOCK THIS MORNING AT THE ENTRANCE TO THE SEAT AT HELINSFOR.

FOURTH VICTIM

Members of Family Have Paralysis

EASTPORT, N. Y., June 16—The fourth victim of paralysis within 48 hours in this place, three of whom were members of the same family has been stricken. Mrs. Gordon received a stroke Monday afternoon and died an hour later. Mr. Gordon, was standing by the body of his wife Monday evening when he too, was stricken with paralysis. Tuesday, Mrs. Edgar F. Powell was preparing the body of Mrs. Gordon prior to its being placed in a casket, when she fell unconscious by the side of the dead woman. Isaac Gordon, whose home is in Patsogue went to Eastport yesterday morning to view the body of his mother. Immediately after his return home, he suffered a stroke of paralysis and there is little prospect of his recovery. The residents of Eastport and near by villages were so shocked by the strange fatality that many of them were afraid to attend the funeral of Mrs. Gordon.

GENERAL CORBIN

Has Been Ordered to the Philippines

WASHINGTON, June 16.—Major General Henry C. Corbin has been ordered to command the division of the Philippines succeeding Major General J. F. Wade, the order to take effect in October. General Corbin at present commands the division of the Atlantic and department of the east with headquarters at Governors Island, New York. He will have about a year and a half of service in the Philippines when Lieutenant General Chaffee reaches the retiring age. It is expected that Major General Corbin will then succeed General Chaffee as lieutenant general.

WON THE GOLD CUP.

LONDON, June 16.—Throway won the gold cup (value 1000 sovereigns with 3000 sovereigns in specie, in addition, added to a sweepstakes of 20 sovereigns each for three-year-olds and upwards, two miles and a half) at the Ascot today. Selinfondel was second and Sceptre came in third. Four horses started.

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TROOPS REVIEWED

Grand Showing Made Before the Governor

THOUSANDS WITNESSED THE FINE DISPLAY

One of Most Interesting Days in Camp

CAMP AT FRAMINGHAM, June 17. —About 6 o'clock yesterday morning it rained briskly for a while, and at reveille it looked as though the review day would bring showers, but it brightened along in the forenoon and remained clear during the day. It was warm, however, the first really hot spell since last Saturday. Early in the forenoon visitors commenced to arrive, coming largely from the middle and western part of the state, that section having the majority representation among the troops here. Boston has but one company, L, of the 6th regiment, present.

Governor Bates and his party of state officials, accompanied by a representation of officers of the army stationed in the forts about Boston, headed by Colonel Mills, commander of the military district of Boston, reached the field at 11 o'clock and were received with the regulation honors. A governor's salute was fired by battery B, Worcester.

The chief executive's party was met at South Framingham station by a detail of the governor's staff stationed here, headed by General Brigham, I. G., and Captains Glines and Ullman of General Mathews' staff. It took 25 carriages to convey the visitors, but even this imposing sight failed to arouse any enthusiasm in the staid old town. Its people are used to governors, "distinguished citizens" and soldiers.

Once at the camp and the salute over the governor was waited upon by the brigade commander and his entire staff and the "top of the morning" exchanged.

By noon several thousand spectators were on the field, and the company at the various messes taxed the capacity of the commissary to its utmost. Several thousand rations must have been issued for the dinner and supper alone.

At the brigade headquarters mess it was necessary to set two tables, and the same was true of many messes down the line. Following the dinner the governor went calling among the organizations, returning in time to mount his horse and ride to the reviewing point. While the troops were assembling in their streets and parks an immense crowd of spectators had gathered at the north of the parade, the line extending almost from brigade headquarters to the cavalry gate at the west of the field.

A change was made yesterday in the method of handling the headquarters' invited guests. Instead of using the carriages, as usual heretofore, and carting the elect to the right of the reviewing point, chairs had been provided on the left of the governor, and to gain this vantage point the "distinguished citizens and citizenesses" walked to it from headquarters. This arrangement is decidedly superior to the old-time method and was appreciated by the "common people," who occupied "standing seats" in the rear.

A little before 3 o'clock Governor Bates, with General Brigham, in the place of General Dalton, who was unable to ride, and accompanied by his staff, rode to his position, receiving a salvo of applause from the spectators.

In the meantime the organizations of the brigade had formed on their own parades, and at the command from Lieut.-Col. Sanborn formed in brigade line of messes. The 6th owing to a wrong position taken by the brigade guide, it was said, overshot the mark and had to "back water." This matter adjusted, the command was turned over to General Mathews, who presented the brigade to the governor. The usual ride of the commander-in-chief with General Mathews, both accompanied by their staffs, around the brigade followed, the men, and even the animals, standing handsomely. Returning to the reviewing point, the brigade, following a change of direction by the left flank, was put in motion for the march past.

Gen. Mathews headed the brigade and was remembered by his friends. He, together with his staff, saluted handsomely and wheeled into position beside the governor. Harrison's signal men headed the marching men. They looked well, but the lieutenant was wrong in his interpretation of saluting distance. ... came Col. Clark, with the 2d ... The colonel received a wel... the spectators, and earned ... making the prettiest salute of the day. Following him came his regiment, the companies swinging along like automatons. It never made a better passage in its history, but special commendation should be awarded the first and third companies, 1st battalion; the fourth company, 2d battalion, and the second company of the 3d battalion, for their excellent distances between ranks.

Col. Darling followed the 2d with his 6th regiment. Gold dollars were thrown his way as he passed along the line of spectators and gave a most graceful salute to his chief. Behind him came his command of 12 solid companies, marching along with a somewhat slow step and with fronts capitally aligned. Distances between ranks, excepting in the second company of the 1st battalion, were invariably too close, while distances between companies were very good, excepting in the 3d battalion.

The infantry out of the road, the artillery took the attention of the field, Maj. Duchesney heading the battalion, giving a good salute, his staff doing likewise. Battery C of Lawrence headed the battalion, Capt. Sargent saluting some paces too soon. The battery looked well. B battery of Worcester closed the artillery feature, Capt. Wheeler saluting too soon. This battery looked well, although one of its guns was out of plumb, and distances, with better animals, would doubtless have been improved.

Capt. Bell, with his ambulance corps, divided into six little platoons, brought up the rear of the column. It certainly never made a better appearance in its history than it did yesterday. This closed the review proper, but it was followed by a ride past, at the trot, of the artillery and cavalry. This was handsomely done and proved the most interesting event of the afternoon.

Following the ride past of the mounted force, the governor proceeded to headquaters, where he held a little reception and later took supper at the brigade mess. He left the camp at 8.30 o'clock on a special electric car over the Boston & Worcester road. The immense crowd that had visited the camp possibly the greatest in number since the volunteers were organized here in 1898, left after evening parade and at retreat the colors went down on one of the most interesting days in the history of the 1st brigade.

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ELECTRIC TELEGRAPH

FOR FIRE ALARM AND POLICE PATROL SYSTEMS.

A bulletin on the application of the electric telegraph and telephone to the fire alarm and police patrol systems of the cities of the United States has been issued by the department of commerce and labor and while the bulletin is of a statistical nature it contains facts that are generally interesting.

The bulletin states that of the 764 fire alarm systems in the United States, 681 used overhead construction exclusively, and of this number 387, or over 50 per cent. were to be found in communities of less than 10,000 population. This confirms the statement as to the extension of municipal fire alarm systems in the smaller cities and towns. There were 83 systems which used combined overhead and underground construction. There were only 114 municipalities which owned their entire pole line, while 509 leased, or used without cost, the supports for their overhead wires and cables.

Table 5 shows the miles of conduit and the wire mileage for the 83 systems reporting the use of underground construction.

It appears from the various tables that in the 83 systems included, 414 miles of conduits were owned and 445 miles were leased, giving a total of 11,433 miles of single wire and single wire in cables from which the streets have immediately been released. This underground circuit was more widely distributed than might perhaps be expected, being found in no fewer than 23 states and the District of Columbia.

As might be expected, the 764 systems, while distributed through 48 states and territories, are to be found chiefly in the older and more densely populated sections. Massachusetts has the largest number, namely 105; New York is second, with 70 (or 71 if New York city were to be credited with two systems instead of being counted as one); New Jersey is third, with 67; followed by Pennsylvania, with 56; Ohio, 50; Michigan, 40; Indiana, 37; Illinois, 31; California, 28; Connecticut and Wisconsin, each 26; Maine, 22; Iowa, 19; New Hampshire, 18; Minnesota, 17; Colorado and Kentucky, each 12; Vermont, 11; and Texas, 10. New York, however, leads in almost every respect, having 6,578 signaling boxes, as compared with the next state in rank, Massachusetts, which has 4890. With regard to the use of the telephone as central station equipment, Maryland is reported as having 1920 drops, or lines, or a shade less than 30 per cent. of the total capacity of the country thus engaged, while Pennsylvania has 2208, or 31 per cent. In telephonic capacity 61 per cent. of the total is thus accounted for, but as this represents only 7 switchboards, 1 in Maryland and 6 in Pennsylvania, it can not be accepted as a full indication of the facts, 55 of the boards being in use for such work in 21 of the other states or territories.

The total number of signaling and annunciating boxes in the United States was 37,532, from which 85,070 alarms were received. Of these alarms 12,794 are credited to New York, from 6294 boxes, or 2 per box, per annum, whereas in the state of Illinois with 2278 boxes, the number of alarms received was 9,027, or 4 per box. In Massachusetts, with 4890 boxes, 9491 alarms were received, or 2 per box. In the state of Pennsylvania, with 3566 boxes, 4571 alarms were reported as having been received, or about 1.3 per box. In Kentucky, with 603 boxes, 1864 alarms were reported, or 3 per box. In Minnesota, with 538 boxes, 2430 fire alarms were reported, or 3 per box. The variations in the average number of fire alarms per box may be due either to the prevalence of wooden construction in buildings resulting in more frequent fire alarms, or to the heavy duties thrown on the boxes by distributing them more sparsely. This latter supposition, however, does not appear to be borne out upon examining the distribution of boxes per mile of wire. For example, Illinois, with a total of 2820 miles of wire, had 2278 boxes, or less than 1 box per mile of wire, while Pennsylvania with 7501 miles of wire, had only 3566 boxes, or less than 1 box to 2 miles of wire. Minnesota had 538 boxes to 1034 miles of wire, or about the same proportion as Massachusetts, with 5330 miles of wire and 4890 boxes. New York appears to be well equipped in this respect, having 5394 boxes to 4937 miles of wire, thus giving more than 1 box to the mile.

Reports were received from 148 electric police patrol systems. The data for systems used interchangeably for the fire alarm and police patrol services have already been referred to in connection with the statistics for fire alarm systems. The service is of much more recent date than that of the fire alarm, and does not, therefore include so many plants.

In the table showing the number of street miles of conduit Lowell is credited with 5, Boston 54, Worcester 19 and Springfield 18.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, and all other persons interested in the estate of Patrick Durcy, late of Lowell in said County, deceased.

Whereas, Mary Ducey, administratrix of the estate of said deceased, has presented to said Court her petition for license to sell at private sale, in accordance with the offer named in said petition, or upon such terms as may be adjudged best, the whole of a certain parcel of the real estate of said deceased for the payment of debts, legacies and charges of administration, and for other reasons set forth in said petition.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge in said County, on the twenty-eighth day of June, A. D. 1904, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this sixteenth day of June in the year one thousand nine hundred and four.

W. E. ROGERS, Asst. Register.

SPEED LAW

MAGISTRATE CRANE WILL HELP IN HAVING IT OBSERVED.

Magistrate Crane of New York, formerly of this city, believes that the speed limits set for automobiles should be observed and when John Allen, 35 years old, an officer in the Kings County Automobile Association, was arraigned in the Jefferson Market police court on the charge of violating the speed law, Magistrate Crane waxed savage in his comments.

"If I am crossing the street," he said, "I am started by a horn tooted by one of you autoists. If I don't get out of the way in time I ascend, go up, come down, and am seriously if not fatally injured."

Allen said that he would like to take the magistrate for a ride so that he could personally observe the speed at which he was accustomed to go. The magistrate replied that he did not want his epitaph written before his time.

Allen was held in $300 bail for trial.

UNKNOWN WORKMAN KILLED.

NEW YORK, June 17.—One of the big automobiles used to take sightseers about the city, ran over and killed an unknown elderly man in Broadway last night, while members of the merry party were laughing and singing.

CLOSING DAY

OF REUNION OF CONFEDERATE VETERANS.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., June 17.—As a fitting climax to the reunion of the United Confederate Veterans, Nashville and her thousands of guests yesterday gave the veterans, as they proudly marched through the densely crowded streets, an ovation which will live long in the memory of its recipients, as well as those who paid the honor.

The parade was representative not only of every southern state but many camps located in the far west, one in Montana and another in Ohio, had delegations in line.

Mrs. John B. Gordon, the widow of the former commander-in-chief, stood at the front of the reviewing stand and drawn up across the street were General Lee and his staff.

The veterans cheered their leader to the echo as they passed and then they turned and saluted the widow of John B. Gordon. Mrs. Gordon was deeply moved at the manifestations of affection.

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"OCEANSIDE HOTEL"—Lynn Beach, Opens June 17, by owner, Mrs. Lottie Roby; all rooms overlook the ocean and new baseball park; table unexcelled. Rates $1, $1.25 and $1.50 per day, according to the rooms taken. Patrons of this house will do well to engage rooms early this season.

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DR. BRETON has moved to 268 Merrimack street, where he will treat all chronic cases. Office hours, 10 to 12; 2 to 4; 7 to 8.30.

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REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

FOR SALE—On Rogers street, Belvidere, two story, ten room house with bath and pantry and seven thousand feet of land all fenced in. Smith & Cavanaugh, Donovan building, Central st.

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A GREAT FINISH

McGovern's 11th Hour Hit Won the Game

A rather small crowd for a Thursday afternoon saw Lowell defeat New Bedford in a good game at Spalding park yesterday afternoon.

The day was an ideal one, and it was expected that there would be a large attendance at the grounds, but owing to the fact that there were a number of counter attractions today and as there will be four games during the week at the park the attendance was rather small.

It was rumored that Count Doe would have five new men from the Worcester team in his lineup yesterday, but when the New Bedford team made its appearance on the diamond this afternoon it had the same men that it has been playing right along.

Lowell played Burbage in right field and Cross did the twirling. Manager Lake as yet not having secured a man to play in the outfield to take the place of Hart, who was released.

Umpire Riva made his first appearance at Spalding park yesterday and he made himself quite prominent by his huge voice. The attendance was about 700 when the umpire called the game at 3.15 o'clock.

FIRST INNING.

Neither side scored in the first inning. It was short and sweet, but seven men coming up to bat, three for New Bedford and four for the home team.

Kehoe was the first man up for New Bedford and the best that he could do was to fly out to Burbage in the right garden. Murphy sent a red hot liner which Fred Lake took care of. Mullaney foul flied and McGovern made a pretty running catch and the side was retired.

Billy Connors was first up for Lowell and he sent a grounder to Murphy and was thrown out at first. Grant popped a fly to Valdois and was the second man out. Bigbie made a pretty single over second base, but was forced out at second on Hickey's grounder to Murphy.

Score—Lowell 0, New Bedford 0.

SECOND INNING.

In the second inning Burrill flied out to Lake and Brown made a Texas leaguer and reached first. Vandergrift "bummed his way" to use the slang of Bob Hart, or in other words received his base on balls. Conroy pop fled to Hickey and Valdois sent a hot grounder to McLaughlin forcing Vandergrift out at second.

Lowell went out in one, two, three order, Lake foul fled to Vandergrift, McLaughlin flied out to Valdois and Burbage fanned the wind three times.

Score—Lowell 0, New Bedford 0.

THIRD INNING.

In the third inning Blatchford and Kehoe found Cross too much for them and the two visitors were retired on strikes. Murphy flied out to Bigbie.

In Lowell's half of the third inning a man got as far as third base, but through good fielding by New Bedford and good pitching by Blatchford Lowell could not score. McGovern was the first man up and "Terrible Terry" singled to right field. Cross bunted intending to sacrifice, but Valdois had to run around McGovern to get the ball, and in so doing missed it and Cross reached first and of course was credited with a hit. Connors hit to Valdois who tagged Cross on the run and threw to first completing a double play. In the meantime McGovern went down to third. Grant drew his base on balls and stole second. Bigbie struck out.

Score—Lowell 0, New Bedford 0.

FOURTH INNING.

In the first of the fourth New Bedford got a man as far as third base but he failed to score. Mullaney was the first man up and he sent a slow grounder along the third base line and Billy Connors by pretty fielding got the ball over to first before Mullaney reached there. Burrill singled to left field. Browne flied out to Grant. Vandergrift sent the ball to right centre for two bases. At this point Burrill had a chance to score, but upon rounding third base he stumbled and fell and had to return to the base. Conroy flied out to Grant.

Lowell went out in quick order in her half of the fourth. Hickey hit to Kehoe and was out at first. Lake foul flied to Kehoe and McLaughlin flied to Browne.

Score—Lowell 0, New Bedford 0.

FIFTH INNING.

Valdois opened the fifth with a fly to Bigbie and the local player after a pretty running catch landed the ball. Blatchford hit to right field. Kehoe flied out to Bigbie and Murphy hit to McLaughlin, forcing Blatchford out at first.

Burbage sent a grounder to Conroy. McGovern sent a red hot liner to Valdois and the latter succeeding in getting the ball down, but he could not recover himself in time to line it over to first and "Terry" reached the first base in safety. Cross received his base on balls. McGovern started to steal third at this point and got half way between the bases when Connors popped a fly to Murphy and before he could get back Murphy sent the ball to second base and made a double play catching McGovern.

Score—Lowell 0, New Bedford 0.

SIXTH INNING.

In the sixth Lowell stopped New Bedford from scoring by gilt edged fielding on the part of Bigbie and Grant. Mullaney hit a line drive to Bigbie and the local fielder made a beautiful running catch. Connors dropped a foul fly sent by Burrill and then Burrill made a single left field, which Bigbie fielded nicely. Browne was the next man up and he hit to right field and Burrill went to second. Vandergrift sent a line drive to short centre and Grant after making a long run, caught the ball and fell to the ground, but he held on to the sphere and sent it down to second in time to catch Burrill, making a double play.

It looked as though Lowell was going to score in the last half of the sixth but they failed to send a man around the bases. Grant flied to Murphy, and Bigbie hit to Valdois and was out at first. Hickey smashed the ball to left field for a pretty single. Lake sent him to third with a two base hit and McLaughlin closed the inning by foul flying to Conroy.

Score—Lowell 0, New Bedford 0.

SEVENTH INNING.

In the seventh inning Bigbie made his fourth pretty running catch during the game, catching a fly off Conroy's bat, who was the first man up for the visitors. Valdois hit to Connors and was out at first. Blatchford received his base on balls. Kehoe closed the inning by flying out to Grant.

Lowell went out in one, two, three order in the seventh. Burbage was the first man up and he fanned out. McGovern flied out to Mullaney and Cross closed the inning by hitting to Blatchford and being thrown out at first.

Score—Lowell 0, New Bedford 0.

EIGHTH INNING.

In the eighth Murphy hit to Cross and died at first. Mullaney singled to left field. Burrill hit along the first base line and was the second man out, Mullaney going to second on the play. Browne fanned out.

Connors was the first out with a fly to Mullaney. Grant flied out to Browne. Bigbie got a pretty single to left field. Hickey was the last man out with a fly to Valdois.

Score—Lowell 0, New Bedford 0.

NINTH INNING.

In the ninth Vandergrift got a single to centre field. Conroy sent him to second with a sacrifice. Valdois hit to Connors and was out at first, while Vandergrift was held at second. Blatchford got a scratch single to left field sending Vandergrift to third base. Blatchford stole second. Kehoe popped a foul fly to McGovern.

Lake opened with a single to centre field. McLaughlin was out for bunting the ball on the third strike while trying to sacrifice. Burbage to Murphy forcing Lake out at second. McGovern hit to left centre and Browne making a pretty run for it and in picking up the ball Browne booted it and Burbage came al the way around. The ball was thrown home by Mullaney and the catch muffed it and Burbage scored. There was a kick because Lake was right at home plate at the time but the kick didn't go.

Score—Lowell 1, New Bedford 0.

LOWELL.

	ab.	r.	bh.	tb.	po.	a.	e.
Connors 3b	4	0	0	0	0	3	1
Grant cf	3	0	0	0	4	1	0
Bigbie lf	4	0	2	2	4	0	0
Hickey 2b	4	0	1	1	2	1	0
Lake 1b	4	0	2	3	8	0	0
McLaughlin ss	4	0	0	0	2	1	0
Burbage rf	4	1	0	0	2	0	0
McGovern	4	0	3	3	5	0	0
Cross p	2	0	1	1	0	1	0
Totals	33	1	9	10	27	7	1

NEW BEDFORD.

	ab.	r.	bh.	tb.	po.	a.	e.
Kehoe 3b	5	0	0	0	1	1	0
Murphy ss	4	0	0	0	2	4	0
Mullaney lf	4	0	1	1	2	0	1
Burrill rf	4	0	2	2	0	0	0
Browne cf	4	0	2	2	2	0	1
Vandergrift c	3	0	2	3	4	0	0
Conroy 1b	3	0	0	0	7	0	0
Valdois 2b	4	0	0	0	7	2	0
Blatchford p	3	0	2	2	0	1	0
Totals	34	0	9	10	*25	8	2

*—One man out when winning run was scored.

McLaughlin out for bunting 3rd strike.

Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
New Bedford	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—0
Lowell	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1—1

Summary: Two base hits—Vandergrift, Lake. Bases on balls—Off Cross 2, off Blatchford 2. Strike outs—By Cross 3, by Blatchford 3. Left on bases—Lowell 5, New Bedford 8. Sacrifice hits—Conroy. Stolen bases—Grant, Blatchford. Double plays—Valdois and Conroy, Murphy and Valdois, Grant and McLaughlin. Umpire—Riva. Attendance—700. Time of game—1.35.

DIAMOND NOTES.

Fall River at Spalding park today.

It was Terry McGovern's day yesterday all right.

Bigbie and Grant gave a grand exhibition of outfield work. No outfielder in the league returns the ball quicker than Grant.

Little Tommy Burbage wasn't half bad in right field. He accepted his two chances and made the lone run that won the game.

The annual rumor that Bressler is coming back, is going the rounds. Perhaps he wouldn't receive a warm welcome.

Mr. Riva made a good impression yesterday.

Although Manager Fred Doe of the New Bedford team of the New England league announced last night that he had purchased five of Worcester's best players from Manager Kittredge, and that they would go to New Bedford with him this morning, not one of the quintet would accompany him.

At a conference this morning they all decided to remain with the Connecticut league, which has guaranteed the payment of their salaries, and they say they will not be a party to Kittredge's deal, in which he was to receive $1000 for their sale.

As a result of Kittredge's actions, it is hinted that the Connecticut league will take the Worcester franchise from him, and the club may be transferred to Norwich.

According to the reported deal made Doe was to pay $1000 for the five players.

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.

NEW ENGLAND LEAGUE.

	Attendance.
Lowell 1, New Bedford 0	800
Fall River 8, Nashua 6	350
Manchester 3, Haverhill 1	300
Concord 7, Lawrence 2	500

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

	Attendance.
Chicago 5, Boston 3	6300
Washington 6, Cleveland 3	1790
Detroit 6, Philadelphia 5	2500
New York 10, St. Louis 3	2900

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

	Attendance.
Chicago 5, Boston 1	2348
New York 4, St. Louis 3	3500
Pittsburg 6, Philadelphia 1	1419

N. E. LEAGUE STANDING.

	Won	Lost	P. C.
Nashua	23	14	.622
Haverhill	23	14	.622
Lowell	20	18	.555
Concord	19	17	.528
Manchester	18	20	.474
Fall River	17	21	.447
New Bedford	15	24	.385
Lawrence	13	23	.361

AMERICAN LEAGUE STANDING.

	Won	Lost	P.C.
Boston	32	17	.653
Chicago	29	21	.580
New York	27	20	.574
Cleveland	24	21	.533
Philadelphia	25	22	.532
St Louis	22	23	.489
Detroit	19	27	.413
Washington	9	36	.200

NATIONAL LEAGUE STANDING.

	Won	Lost	P.C.
New York	31	16	.660
Chicago	30	16	.652
Cincinnati	31	18	.633
Pittsburg	25	22	.532
St. Louis	22	23	.489
Brooklyn	21	29	.420
Boston	18	29	.382
Philadelphia	9	31	.266

GAMES TODAY.

NEW ENGLAND LEAGUE.

Fall River at Lowell.
Haverhill at Concord.
New Bedford at Nashua.
Lawrence at Manchester.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Philadelphia at Detroit.
Washington at Cleveland.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Philadelphia at Boston, 10.30 and 2.30.
Brooklyn at New York.
St. Louis at Pittsburg.

BUSINESS MEN VS. PROFESSIONALS.

Business men of the Knights of Columbus defeated the professional men in a baseball match yesterday afternoon in Tyngsboro, 14 to 11.

The game was played on the ball grounds connected with the camp of the local council, an ideal location on the banks of the Merrimack.

REFUSED TO ENDORSE.

CLARKSBURG, W. Va., June 17—The state convention of the Prohibition party refused to endorse Gen. Nelson A. Miles for president, by a big vote, as it did not know him to be a Prohibitionist.

GAME NEAR DYING

From an Awful Skin Humour. Scratched Till Blood Ran. Wasted to Skeleton.

CURED BY CUTICURA

One Application Soothed Him to Sleep. Cure Speedy and Permanent.

"When my little boy was about three months old his head broke out with a rash, which was very itchy and ran considerable watery fluid. We tried everything we could, but he got worse all the time till it spread to his arms, legs, and then to his entire body, and he got so bad that he came near dying. The rash would itch so that he would scratch till the blood ran, and a thin yellowish stuff would be all over his pillow in the morning. I had to put mittens on his hands to keep him from tearing his skin around his wrists. He got so weak and run down that he took fainting spells like we would think him dying. He was almost a skeleton and his little hands were thin like claws.

"He was bad about eight months when we tried Cuticura Remedies. I had not laid him down in his cradle in the daytime for a long time. He had got so that he just slept in our arms all the time. I washed him with Cuticura Soap and put on one application of Cuticura Ointment and he was so soothed that I put him in the cradle. You don't know how glad I felt when he felt better. It took one box of Cuticura Ointment, pretty near one cake of Cuticura Soap, and about half a bottle of Cuticura Resolvent, to cure. I think our little boy would have died only for the Cuticura Remedies, and I shall always remain a firm friend of them."

MRS. M. C. MAITLAND, JASPER, ONTARIO.

No return in 14 years. Mrs. Maitland writes, under date of Feb. 24, 1903, that the cure is permanent.

"It affords me much pleasure to inform you that it is fourteen years since my boy was cured of the terrible skin disease from which he suffered.

"He has been permanently cured and is hearty and strong."

Sold throughout the world. Cuticura Resolvent, 50c. (in form of Chocolate Coated Pills, 25c. per vial of 60), Ointment, 50c., Soap, 25c. Depots: London, 27 Charterhouse Sq.; Paris, 5 Rue de la Paix; Boston, 137 Columbus Ave. Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Sole Proprietors.

Send for "How to Cure Every Humour."

Lightening the Cost of Summer Hosiery

Two remarkable offerings that cannot be duplicated elsewhere in New England.

Lace Lisle, drop stitch, black hose, high spliced heel and toe, embroidered in white, blue and red silk. Other stores would advertise them special at 25 cents.

Silk finished, imported Maco thread, lace lisle hose, narrowed foot and heavy sole, extra elastic top, high spliced heel and toe. Always sold before for 25 cents.

Your choice while they last 12½c

They are for prompt folks only.

The White Store

114—Merrimack Street—116

A. G. POLLARD & CO.

WE GIVE DARK BLUE TRADING STAMPS

Continuation of Our Great Bargain Sale of 140,000 Yards

Fine Printed Dimities

The crowd which filled our basement departments yesterday indicates that the buying public appreciate a good bargain, stylish patterns, fast colors, and convenient lengths for **Dresses, Waists, Kimonas and Children's Dresses.**

Fine Madras Batiste worth 12 1-2c, Fine Bourette Dimity worth 10c, all at the unprecedented low price of only

3½c Per Yard

ANOTHER SPECIAL BARGAIN IN OUR BASEMENT SHOE DEPARTMENT

Our Annual Sale of Slightly Imperfect Ladies' Slippers Will Commence

- - THIS MORNING - -

NEARLY 3000 PAIRS DIRECT FROM THE MANUFACTURER AT ONLY

59c a Pair

Regular price from $1.00 to $3.00 a pair. Imperfections are slight and do not affect the wearing qualities.

A. G. POLLARD & CO.

Merrimack, Palmer and Middle Streets

Big Bargain Sale

-AT-

COOPER'S

It will be a RECORD BREAKING Bargain Sale indeed! To tell the TRUTH we are not giving you the great bargains WILLINGLY. We are obliged to! Our bills are coming due and they must be paid, or there'll be TROUBLE. We have a great deal of goods to sell, and a great many bills coming due which must be paid, and we have only two short weeks before the Fourth in which to do it. Now if you wish to find out if we really are telling you the truth, and also what will interest you more, if we are really giving you GREAT BARGAINS, come and see, as seeing is believing. DON'T believe us. DON'T leave it to your neighbor to tell you of the GREAT BARGAINS she got AT COOPER'S. DON'T miss the GREAT BARGAIN SALE AT COOPER'S. Follow the crowd. You'll never regret it. The prices are marked down so low and we are really giving such great bargains that it would take too much space to describe them. And you could hardly believe us, so you had better come and SEE. Then you will be the best Judge. Come early to avoid the crowd. The Big Sale will begin at 8.30 a. m.

The Reliable **Cooper's Cloak and Suit Store**

Merrimack Street, Near Merrimack House

Our Motto—High Grade Goods at Low Prices

The people like our Clothes and our Methods, consequently we have this season enjoyed more business than ever before in the history of the house.

Double Green, Dark Blue, Red, White and Blue National Discount **Trading Stamps Saturday**

Here's the Whole Story:

Our business this season in spite of the cool, rainy weather, has been phenomenal, and naturally we find that our large stock embraces today many broken lines of Suits, resulting from our brisk spring selling.

These we have decided to close out AT ONCE if low prices will do it. You'll be amazed at what good clothes a few dollars will buy here today. Words are useless; you must come in person and see for yourself. Here are a few details:

135 Suits that were $8, $10 and $12 To Close, Today and Saturday **$4.95**

275 Suits that were $13.50, $15, $16.50 To Close Today and Saturday **$7.75**

169 Suits that were $18, $19 and $20, To Close, Today and Saturday **$9.75**

210 Suits that were $22, $25 and $28 To Close Today and Saturday **$14.75**

The Best Blue Serge Suit Stock in the State

The world-famed Oswego Blue Serge, Hockanum Blue Serge, Washington Mills Blue Serge, Lymanville Blue Serge, in undressed and hard-faced; made in single and double breasted — B. Kuppenheimer & Co.'s famous suits and New York's best makers' productions. Hundreds to choose from at - - - **$10, $12, $15, $18**

265 Boys' Two-Piece Double-Breasted Suits; sizes up to 16 years; that were $3.00, $3.50 and $4.00—to close at once at **$1.98**

200 dozen Men's Fine Negligee Shirts. In all up-to-the-minute styles. These Shirts are $1.00 values. Special today **69c**

560 White and Fancy Vests at 50c on the dollar. "Vests for the Smart Set" in all the newest effects. The best values ever offered. **95c, $1.23, $1.69, $1.95, $2.38**

The largest Underwear Stock in the city; Union Suits or two-piece silk weaves, Derby weaves, linen mesh, fancy and plain. **19c to $2**

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E. H. CHOQUETTE | **72-86 Merrimack St.** | J. L. KNOWLTON

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SWORN CIRCULATION OF THE SUN

The sworn daily average circulation of The Lowell Sun, for the year 1903, was **14,590** A gain of 1083 copies per day over the average for the year of 1902.

Sworn to by John H. Harrington, proprietor, Martin H. Reidy, business manager, and Alfred Pilotte, pressman of The Sun, before me, January 1, 1904. JOHN J. HOGAN, Notary Public.

14,900 The sworn daily average circulation for five months of 1904 was: **14,900**

☞This is a larger circulation than the combined circulation of all the other daily papers in Lowell.

☞An advertisement placed in The Sun is of more value to the advertiser than if it were inserted in all othe ther newspapers in Lowell, and the cost of inserting it in The Sun is about ONE THIRD the price charged by the other papers.

WANTS TO BE KING.

The bandit captor of Perdecaris now demands the cession of several provinces of Morocco and protection in his right to rule them by two other powers with the United States. Verily it is time to land the marines.

There are few offenses which are more far reaching in their evil effects than the subornation of perjury. The officials of the Boston Mutual Life Insurance company who were fined $500 each for making false returns, got barely their deserts. Six months or a year in jail would have a wholesome effect.

THE LATE EX-SENATOR O'SULLIVAN.

The death of our esteemed friend, Edward F. O'Sullivan of Lawrence, a former member of The Sun staff, a brilliant writer, and a man of great versatility, will bring sorrow to many hearts here in Lowell; for so genial, cordial and witty, so cheerful and so honorable was the deceased, so strong in friendship, so averse to cherishing ill will towards any human being that of him it may well be said:

"None knew him but to love him,
Nor named him but to praise."

WILL BE TRUE TO THE TRUSTS.

The selection of Philander S. Knox for senator to succeed Mr. Quay of Pennsylvania shows the character of his constituency. He has been the faithful friend of the trusts. He never made a move against them except when forced to do so and his record in this respect has commended him to the trust magnates of Pennsylvania, Frick, the steel magnate, Cassatt and Cameron.

As United States senator Knox may be expected to keep up his record as a tool of the trusts. Mr. Moody, who is to succeed him, is a man after Roosevelt's own heart but too much of a republican to disturb the trusts.

BOARD OF SETTLEMENT IN LYNN.

The shoe workers and manufacturers of Lynn are showing signs of returning reason. For a long time the slightest difference between the workmen and their employers was the signal for a strike. Now, however, a board of settlement has been formed consisting of three members from each side to consider differences arising from time to time between the manufacturers and their employes. They can thus consider the various points at issue before reaching the strike stage and before any bitter feeling has been engendered on either side. This plan is copied from the system adpoted in the Pennsylvania coal strike. There is no reason why it should not be successful.

GUBERNATORIAL STOCK FELL.

Practical Politics of Boston has the following comment in regard to the fall of gubernatorial stock:

"It is interesting to note that from the beginning of the session to the closing hours thereof the gubernatorial stock fell steadily and reached its lowest point when two-thirds of the members of the branches decided in favor of the bounty bill, notwithstanding his objections thereto. During the session the governor vetoed 15 bills. These were generally sustained by wide margins. The senate, however, came within four votes of passing over his veto the bill to incorporate the Massachusetts Casualty company. Comparatively speaking the house came nearer to success in an attempt to override the veto of the so-called overtime bill, which prohibited the employment of women and minors in textile establishments after 6 in the evening or before 6 in the morning. The veto of the bounty bill was received in practically the closing hour and the situation created was very similar to that of a year ago, when, in the last moment, Gov. Bates sent in his veto of the Wakefield trunk line sewer."

The fall in gubernatorial stock is what might be expected when the governor became so meddlesome towards the legislature, showing a desire to dominate everything.

WONDERFUL FEAT OF RAPID JOURNALISM.

The Sun furnishes the people of Lowell with one of the best exhibitions of rapid journalism ever given in the United States every day a ball game is played at Spalding park. The ball grounds are but twelve minutes' ride from Merrimack square and as soon as the game is over there is a rush for the cars which are waiting on the tracks ready to start. Invariably when the cars reach Merrimack square the people are met by newsboys selling the sporting edition of The Sun with a full account of the game in every detail, the full box score, the score by innings and in some instances pictures illustrating the features of the game, the whole making almost a page of matter descriptive of the game. Other newspapers cannot understand how it is done. There are very few in the country that could do it. No similar feat has ever been attempted even in Boston. It is a lesson in journalism that is attracting wide attention not only in Lowell but throughout the state. In other cities it takes hours to get out such an account of a ball game. The Sun is the only paper in Lowell, or it might be said in Massachusetts, capable of performing such a feat.

LODGE AS AN ARTFUL DODGER.

The chief feature of the approaching republican convention will be Senator Lodge's method of dodging the reciprocity issue. Already Mr. Lodge has attained the reputation of the artful dodger on this as on various other questions. The great friend of the late President McKinley and the great protectionist now opposes the scheme for reciprocity which McKinley advocated in his last public utterance.

Another piece of evasion which the republicans will find necessary will be in regard to the trust issue. This will tax the ambidexterity even of so clever a manuipulator as Senator Lodge but it can be done by verbosity and circumlocution, by framing sentences which mean nothing or by statements only to be nullified by conditional phrases or by mystifying the readers by glittering generalities which in reality mean nothing. It would be just as honest to make a good platform and ignore it openly after election as to take the other method of gulling the public. Mark Hanna said platforms were not made to be followed and the admission proved him to be a more honest man than is Senator Lodge, or those who are now the exponents of republican policy upon public questions.

The republicans, however, can be relied upon to accomplish their object in a platform of equivocations that will serve but to mislead and mystify the voters upon the public issues of the hour, as they are adepts at the construction of such platforms.

PUTNAM & SON CO.

166 Central Street

HERE IS YOUR

SUMMER OUTING SUIT

cool and good looking clothes—that are properly made up, that will hold their shape, and these suits that are made right cost no more than suits that are made wrong.

Outing Suits, coats and trousers. The coats smart cut with built up shoulders and mohair fronts. Trousers of the proper fullness at the thigh, with permanent turn-up or without, of light flannels, new effects in tropical weight unfinished worsteds, homespuns and loosely woven light cheviots, from Rogers, Peet & Co. and our own shop, for $18, $15, $12, $10, as low as **$5**

Men's Outing Trousers, made from light homespuns and light flannels, full through the thigh as these should be. **$2, $2.50, $3, up to $5**

$6.50 for Men's Summer Suits that have sold for $10 to $15

YOU who know this store, know that suits are never bought to sell here for six dollars and a half. This is a collection that embraces all of the small remainders of suits that were brought to sell and did sell for $10, $12 and $15.

It is a gathering of blue serge, fancy cheviot and fancy worsted suits that were excellent values at the prices first marked—but we have no place for little lots of three to six suits of a kind—so gather them all into one lot and mark them at one price. There are sizes 34 to 46, regulars, stouts and longs, of some style or other. Pick today from this collection of $10 to $15 suits for . **$6.50**

$20 for Rogers-Peet's Fine Suits

Instead of $25, $28 and $30

The handsomest lot we have ever shown

OUR sales of Rogers-Peet's suits for twenty dollars have been remarkable; it is a price for which we sell hundreds of their suits every season. We believed that we had made ample provision of these suits to carry us to July 1st--but, here in the middle of June we find the assortment so broken, that to make our twenty dollar lots what we think they should be, we have reduced prices on several lots of Rogers-Peet's most expensive suits.

It is a rare opportunity you have, to pick from the choicest styles of Rogers-Peet's sack and walking coats that sold for $25, $28 and $30, that we've marked today **$20**

Bargains in the Boys' Department

Boys' $5.00 and $6.00 Three Piece Suits for $3.50

Sixty splendid suits, the broken lots that sold for five and six dollars.

Neat dark patterns in cassimeres and cheviots, single breast jacket, vest and short trousers, all wool every one of them. Nicely cut and made in first rate shape. These suits to fit boys 10 to 16 years—all marked from $5 and $6 to only **$3.50**

Bovs' $3.00 Suits $1.50

Ninety suits to fit boys from 8 years to 15—of strictly all wool blue cheviot. These are brand new suits that we have just bought for half what they are worth. Latest cut, long roll double breast jacket with short trousers—as nice fitting suits as were ever put on to a boy. Well tailored and new—instead of three dollars— **$1.50**

WASH SUITS AT HALF PRICE

We bought a good big lot of sample wash suits from an excellent maker a few weeks ago—bought them at a figure that enables us to sell them for nearly half what they ought to bring—materials are Galateas, crashes and woven fabrics. Some of them got a little tumbled in handling as samples, but they're all practically in good shape. We offer these wash sailor suits today as below:

Wash Suits, regular price 75c, for 35c.
Wash Suits, regular price $1.00 for 50c.
Wash Suits, regular price $2.00 for $1.00
Wash Suits, regular price $3.00 for $1.50

JOINT EXERCISES

At the Howe School in Billerica

ANNUAL GRADUATION OF THIS YEAR'S CLASS

And Eighth Reunion of School Association

The annual graduation of the Howe school at Billerica and the eighth annual reunion of the Howe school association was held yesterday afternoon at the town hall and from every viewpoint it was one of the most successful affairs held by the association since the introduction of the joint exercises. It was the largest gathering of past members of the school ever seen in the hall and the attendance of relatives and friends of the graduating class was larger this year than ever before. The large attendance seemed to add energy to the commencement exercises which were very interesting and entertaining.

The graduation class numbered ten and the graduates were at their best. Four of them completed four year courses and the remaining six were three year scholars. The able manner in which the graduates acquitted themselves was productive of a great many flattering comments that were aimed at the principal and his assistants.

The annual dinner and business meeting of the association took place during the latter part of the forenoon and the closing feature, the annual ball, was held in the evening and the greatness of the pleasure it afforded was in keeping with the unusual interest manifested in every item of the day's proceedings.

The town hall was beautifully decorated for the occasion and the stage fairly groaned under its load of potted plants, flowers and blossoms. The platform was occupied by the graduation class and the teachers. The exercises opened at 2.30 with the strains of sweet music by Hibbard's orchestra.

Divine blessing was invoked by Rev. Edgar S. Wiers. A brilliant essay which bespoke more than ordinary ability of its author, with "Theodore Roosevelt" as its theme, was then delivered in admirable manner by Wilbur Irving Bull, the class vice-president. The youthful speaker did himself, his class and his teachers credit in this essay.

Miss Rena E. Parker, the class secretary, then read an interesting paper on the history of the outgoing class since its advent to the school. She also recited the class prophecy, which was very clever.

The class oration, a sketch of the great oil trust, with a vividly drawn picture of the business principles of its president, John D. Rockefeller, entitled "The Rise of the Standard Oil Company," was then delivered by Ralph Eric Manning, the class treasurer.

The valedictory, clever in construction and delivery, by Miss Doris Kohlrausch, was next. She took for her theme the class motto, "Graviora Remanent," which translated means "Things More Serious Remain," and emphasizes the fact that the future held more serious things in store for them. Miss Kohlrausch was well received.

The diplomas were then conferred by Rev. Edgar S. Wiers. In presenting the diplomas to the graduating class, Mr. Wiers said: "The old town has given you all it has, in an educational point of view. All its educational privileges have been extended to you. It has done its best by you. You are the children of the 250th year of the town and all its honor and pride in the years to come rests with you. Do it justice."

Diplomas were then presented to the following:

Four Years' Course—Doris Kohlrausch, Wilbur Irving Bull, Rena E. Parker, Ralph Eric Manning.

Three Years' Course—George Anthony Campbell, Florence Abby Colby, Flora Belle Crosby, Hilda Holman, Thurza May McLean, Evangeline Elsie Thaxter.

J. NELSON PARKER.

J. Nelson Parker, for the trustees of the school, spoke with reference to the standing of the schools. He said that when Dr. Howe endowed the school it was his desire that it would serve as a stepping-stone to a higher education. He was glad to state that not less than 50 per cent. of the graduates were going to a higher educational institution.

He said the fifty years since the first class went out of the school have wrought a change in the world's knowledge. To fit a pupil for college today means more than it did a half century ago. The trustees are gratified because of the good showing that is being made.

Mr. Parker then announced that the trustees had decided to add another teacher to the corps of instructors and thus enable the classes to receive more attention from the teachers. He announced, too, that changes would be made in the school building during the summer and arrangements would be made for a new room.

Mr. Parker then introduced Rev. Alexander McKenzie, D. D., of Cambridge, who delivered the address to the graduates.

DR. McKENZIE.

Dr. McKenzie congratulated the trustees of the school on the thriving condition in which its fifty-first year found it and stated that he was always pleased to talk to the young people. He spoke of the educational advantages enjoyed by the young men and women of today and put forth some excellent advice for the young minds to ponder over. He laid especial stress on the fact that one must plan for the future in order to achieve ultimate success in life. The present should be well looked to but deference should go to the future at all times.

"We want to avail ourselves of the advantages of what men have done," he said. "We must make use of what has been wrought out by our predecessors. Use your public library. Visit it frequently, secure its books and get knowledge they contain. But understand that no matter how extensive the list of volumes in the public library, and no matter how much you patronize it, you would do better to secure a few books of your own. Read them through with care, and you'll see things you want to remember or refer to on some occasion. Mark your books. Yes, deface the margin down the page. It's simply illustrating them. Get a new book as often as you can, conveniently or otherwise. If it's a question of a new coat or a new book, get the book.

"If your only ambition in life is to accumulate money, I hope you'll have a hard time of it. You ought to hate yourselves if that is your ambition. Live to allow other people to live and then I shall wish that you may have a grand place.

"It doesn't make any difference what you are today or what you may be tomorrow; what will you be when you're seventy? That's what you should think of. Get into something where there is opportunity for expansion. I don't care whether you sell corn-balls or Standard Oil, there are possibilities in both, so get into one or the other.

"I never saw or heard of a man failing to get ahead who had anything in him. Be considerate to others. Deal with persons in such manner that they'll want to deal with you on another occasion. Have courage. I believe fear has cheated more men out of position and fortune than rash acts. More of them lose fortunes through fear than through recklessness.

"There would be no pleasure in life without experiencing an occasional, or continual risk. You young men and women have magnificent opportunities to do something that has never been accomplished. It does seem that everything possible has been done. Here's a suggestion. Form a republic. Take all the nations of the earth and teach the people to talk your tongue. Take their flags, tear them up and weave the fragments into the Star Spangled Banner. It's a great thing, and it never has been done. Go out; work, and see what's in you."

The exercises closed with a selection by the orchestra.

RECEPTION BY CLASS.

Following the graduation exercises the graduating class held a reception in the hall and this continued until six o'clock. At that hour the annual dinner to the members of the Howe School Association and to the graduating class was given in the banquet hall on the first floor and 125 persons gathered around the festive board.

After the menu was discussed President Kohlrausch called to order at 7.25, and called upon Treasurer Natt. H. Hutchins for his annual report. Mr. Hutchins submitted a brief report which told of the thriving condition of the association.

The election of officers was next in order. On the first ballot, by acclamation, Charles H. Kohlrausch, Jr., who served as president last year, was re-elected.

Practically all of the former officers were also re-elected with the exception that Mr. Warren L. Floyd was chosen a vice president, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Mr. Hugh Cochrane. The vice presidents now are: J. Frank Casey, Otis S. Brown, Warren L. Floyd, T. Frank Lyons was re-elected secretary, and Natt H. Hutchins treasurer; and the executive committee for the ensuing year is as follows:

Herbert A. King, Miss Grace L. Knowles, Miss Mary E. F. Shea, Mrs. S. A. Bull, Miss Mary L. Morey, Joseph Jaquith, Harry G. Sheldon, Nell E. Mahoney, Homer H. Colby, Miss Oliva H. Norcross, John A. Richardson, Ralph E. Manning.

The death of the first vice president, Mr. Hugh Cochrane, was announced by President Kohlrausch, and the members of the association were requested to stand, as a tribute of respect to him, while the cornetist played a solemn requiem.

Following the business meeting, which closed with the elections, the post prandial exercises were opened by Mr. Kohlrausch. Mr. Kohlrausch spoke in a reminiscent strain of his school days away back in '63, and cited many instances in his school career which amused the gathering.

The other speakers were J. Frank Casey, class of '57; Warren L. Floyd, class of '63; George Greenwood, '64; Fred Casey, '69; Eugene C. Vining of the Howe school; E. C. Davis, a former principal; J. Nelson Parker and Rev. Edgar S. Weirs. The chairman read a letter of regret from Rev. Fr. Frank E. Rogers of the class of '80, who could not attend.

Commencing at 10 o'clock and continuing until midnight dancing was enjoyed and about 75 couples participated.

At the close of the function special cars left for Bedford, Lexington, Arlington, Wilmington, East Billerica, North Billerica and this city.

Have you guessed on the world's fair contest at the Merrimack? It costs nothing to guess and you may win $25.

INJURIES PROVED FATAL.

USINGEN, Prussia, June 17.—Baron Leiterberger, the Austrian automobilist, who was reported to be suffering from concussion of the brain as the result of an accident in one of yesterday's runs, preliminary to the race for the James Gordon Bennett cup, died this morning. His car skidded at a corner and was overturned into a ditch.

Voile, cheviot and mohair dress skirts in black and blue; were $5.00 to $7.50, selling at $3.85. Merrimack Clothing Co. —Women's Dept.

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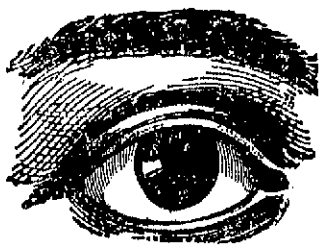

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100 STAMPS WITH 1 POUND OF BAKING POWDER

Our Coffees Are Roasted Fresh Every Day...

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NOTICE

Having contracted with the S. & H. Green Stamp Co. we will in the future give Green Stamps and Red, White and Blue 2 for 1 for ten days, commencing today, June 10, 4 p. m.

125 with 1 lb. Best Baking Powder.
125 with 1 lb. Garden Leaf Formosa Tea at 75c.
100 with 1 lb. Golden Egg Formosa Tea at 60c.
10 with 1 bottle Bluing at 10c.
80 with 1 lb. Dove Chop Formosa Tea at 50c.
50 with 1 lb. Mocha and Java Coffee at 35c.
10 with 1 can Peas at 12c.
10 with 1 can Tomatoes at 12c.

Don't forget we give 2 for 1 on all sales of $1.00 or over for ten days, and our prices the lowest and goods the best that money can buy. Remember when you get Red, White and Blue Stamps and the S. & H. Green Stamps you get a gold mine for the asking. Mail or telephone orders attended to.

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Cor. Central and Charles Streets
TELEPHONE 895

This is Boys' Week at the Merrimack

Is your boy about to graduate, or be confirmed? Have you decided where that suit is to be bought? Do you know that the Merrimack carries the best stock of good clothes for boys in town?

It's a strong assertion, but we are prepared to prove it. We want every mother in Lowell with boys to clothe to look into it for herself.

We handle boys' clothes of reliable make and quality only—we sell them at a close profit margin—we are cultivating the good will of the mothers—we recognize her influence in the family, and we appeal to her with values, strong merchandise values, that, when compared with competitors' showing, results in business for this store.

We want every mother in Lowell to become acquainted with our boys' department—it's in the rear of the new women's department—just off the main store, and is a comfortable place to shop in.

You can come here today and tomorrow expecting unusual values in boys' clothes—you won't be disappointed.

Read the items mentioned today, and, by the way, let the boy guess on the World's Fair Contest. He may win that $25 prize.

BOYS' Black Suits

For Graduations, Confirmations, etc.

At $2.00

Boys' Two-Piece Suits of Black Worsted Cheviot—all pure wool and worsted and well made—the pants have taped seams and are half lined—the usual price is $3.00. These were secured last week at a closing price and are offered a dollar less than regular.

At $3.00

Boys' Two-Piece Black Clay Suits—all pure worsted—the new shape double breasted jacket and splendidly made. You'll find many stores asking $4.00 for this grade.

At same price, a small lot of blue and dark mixed serge, three-piece suits, marked from $5.00, $6.00 and $7.50.

At $5.00

Boys' Three-Piece Suits of Black Clay or Unfinished Worsted—also Black and Blue Unfinished Worsteds of Shuman make, marked from $8.00.

At $7.50

Boys' Three-Piece Suits of Black and Blue Unfinished Worsted, including many that sold at $10.00

White Shield Bows, 10 Cents
White Silk Windsor Ties, 15c, 25c
White Gloves, 10 Cents
Black Hose, 12 1-2c, 25c

HAVE YOU GUESSED ON THE World's Fair CONTEST?

A prize of $25.00 will be given to the person guessing nearest the exact number of votes cast by the winner of Trip No. 1.

Everybody is welcome to guess—no purchase necessary.

Here's the way it looks today:—

TRIP NO. 1.

Charles Harrington, Mathew Temperance Institute	29,998
Peter A. Clune, Knights of Columbus and Industry Council, R. A.	16,475
"Connie" Cronin, C. Y. M. L. and Celtics	16,194
Homer L. P. Turcotte, Rochambeau Council, R. A., C. M. A. C.	4,053
A. E. Rountree, Industry Council, R. A., Court Middlesex, F. of A., Y. M. C. L.	2,228
John Quincy Adams, Holy Name, St. Patrick's	85

TRIP NO. 2.

Margaret Roark	6,237
Leda Methot	5,083
Mabel Connors	40

The contest ends July 30—the guessing closes one week earlier.

Big Selling of BOYS' Wash Suits

Some mothers who have come to this store for the first time this season have been surprised at our large showing of Wash Suits for boys. They didn't think such a stock was carried in Lowell.

In addition to the usual style of Wash Suits, you'll find here dainty, exclusive effects and good choosing such as you'll not find in any other Lowell store.

For the little fellow the Russian Blouse Suit has a big showing—white duck, pique, fancy Madras, Galateas and Crashes, daintily trimmed, with sailor, cadet or Buster Brown collar.

For the older boys the Sailor Suit is shown in over thirty styles. These are made with sailor, cadet or eton collars; the latter with blouse trousers. The materials are about the same as in the Russian.

Russian Suits are priced at

75c, $1, $1.50, $2, $2.50, $3.00

Sailor Suits,

50c, 75c, $1, $1.50, $2, $2.50, $3

Boys' Waists

The biggest showing in town of the celebrated K. & B. Waists; the best fitting waist made.

The Shirt Blouse, to wear with white collar, is the leading style. These are shown in Percales and Madras Cloth; laundered and unlaundered.

50c, 75c, $1

The same style with attached collars.

A pretty style for little fellows, 3 to 8 years, has an eton collar; this comes in several styles of cloth and is priced at

$1.50

The cadet collar style is shown largely in plain white, fancy Madras, Percales and Linen. Prices

50c, 75c, $1, $1.50

A lot of fine Madras and Percale Waists, with sailor collars, selling at $1.00, are marked to

50c

3 to 8 years.

A lot of Fine Striped Madras Waists, with small collar, worth 50c, is selling at

25c

10 to 15 years.

Wash Pants, in white duck, crash and striped fabrics,

25c, 50c

The Merrimack CLOTHING COMPANY
Across from City Hall

SUPERIOR COURT

James Calnin Violated the Liquor Law

AND WAS ORDERED TO PAY FINE OF $100

John B. Clancy Had His Case Continued

In the superior criminal court at East Cambridge, yesterday before Judge Lawton, James Calnin was fined $100 for violation of the liquor law. This fine is the same as was imposed by Judge Hadley in the police court. The seizure at Mr. Calnin's place was made shortly after the no-license regime and was by far the largest seizure of the year. It will be remembered that a few days prior to the first of May the officers went to Mr. Calnin's place of business in Lakeview avenue and sealed up whatever liquors he had on hand. A few weeks later the raid was made and the police found that some of the liquors were missing and what was left was removed to the police station and a store house in Dutton street.

The defense offered by the defendant was that he did not know that liquors sealed by the police were being disturbed. John J. Harvey appeared for Mr. Calnin.

CONTINUED TO SEPTEMBER.

The case of John B. Clancy, charged with the violation of the liquor laws, was continued to the September term of the superior court. The police visited Mr. Clancy's home during the latter part of the no-license year and seized 39 cases of lager beer and ale. In police court he was found guilty. He was fined $200 and sentenced to the common jail for two months.

PLEADED NOLO CONTENDERE.

Michael Dalton through counsel J. J. O'Connor, pleaded nolo contendere to a complaint charging him with violation of the liquor law and his case was placed on file upon the filing of affidavits.

Silk Shirt Waist Suits at $8.75, $10.98, $13.50 and $15.00. Special values at Chris. Holmes' Specialty Store, 124-126 Merrimack street.

Tobacco brown, champagne, gun metal gray—all the new neckwear shades in keiser baratheа—the best wearing neckwear silk, 50c, at the Merrimack.

THE BIG BARGAIN STORE

C. K. FISK

75 Merrimack St. Lowell, Mass.

We will pledge our honor that there is not a big store in Lowell or Boston that sells at such low prices as we do. How do we do it? Simply this: Our expenses are small, we buy in large quantities for spot cash, so as to get the best discount possible. Our goods are of the best quality. We carry the "Queen" brand Muslin Underwear, best in the market; kid and fabric gloves in all of the new shades. Latest in Ladies' Neckwear. Hosiery in great variety.

Belts and Bags—latest out.

Bargains in Ribbons—Taffeta, all of the best shades, No. 5 and 9, 15c Yard; 22 and 40, 10c Yard.

Wide Lace Collars at very low prices.

We have the self-adjusting Skirt Supporter and Waist Extender. It gives a beautiful shapely and graceful figure; also Victory Dinett Girdle Former.

This is a money saving store. It is open for you.

C. K. FISK

75 Merrimack St.

NEW YORK CLOAK AND SUIT CO.

SHIRT WAIST SUITS

Special Bargains for Saturday and Monday

See our Percales and Lawns at **$1.98**

A fine quality Fancy Figured Percale, lace insertion, worth $3.00 . . . . . Our price $1.98

Sateens at **$2.98** and **$3.98**

In polka dots, piped with white, excellent style, at **$2.98**

Pure Linen Suits in cape effect, piped with blue, value $6.50, ... Our price $3.98

P. S. All graduation dresses greatly reduced.

SILK WAIST SUITS

See the special value in plain colors and stripes, $11.98

WAISTS Thousands to Choose From **WAISTS**

See the Ginghams at 38c, worth 75c.
See the Lawns at 49c, worth 98c.
See the Lawns in Bertha Effects, Plain and Insertion at 98c, worth $1.49.
Others $1.98, $2.98, $3.98 and up.

All High Grade Waists Marked Down

Remember We Are Headquarters for Brilliantines, Pique and Linen Skirts and Suits—Lowest Prices.

$2.98 Children's Coats $2.98

Any Coat in our store. Some were $7.98. Pongee, Peau de Soie and plain cloths, your choice at $2.98.

New York Cloak and Suit Co. 12 JOHN STREET.

MONSTER PICNIC

6000 Persons at Willow Dale Yesterday

Fully 6000 persons attended the picnic of Highland Council, R. A., at Willow Dale yesterday and a delightful time was enjoyed.

One of the big features of the day was the ball game won by the All Stars, 6 to 2. The teams were as follows:

All Stars—Harvey, Robitaille, Maynard, Foss, W. Riley, Donahue, Williams, Whitney.

Has Beens—Douglas, Zimmer, Christian, Hutchins, Grow, Lancevin, Cooney, M. Rieley, J. Rieley.

The various sporting events were as follows:

100 yards dash, 1st prize M. F. Rynne; 2d, A. Cooney.

Three legged race, Freeman Hallett, and Tom Farrell; second prize, Charles Donahoe and J. Rieley.

Running broad jump, 1st J. McCarthy; 2d, Freeman Hallett; 3d James Prokas.

Men's boat race—1st, H. L. Woodman; 2d, William Zimmer.

Ladies' boat race, 1st, Miss Minnie Edwards, 2nd, Mrs. Robitaille.

Ladies' 50 yard sprint, 1st, Miss Mary Quirbach; 2d Mabel Rieley.

Boys' 100 yards dash, 1st William Broadbent; 2d, Russell, Gaudette.

Useful prizes were awarded the winners.

Considerable difficulty was experienced in accommodating such an enormous crowd, but everything went off smoothly much to the credit of the managers.

The committee on sports was: James V. Greig and George Grady.

Those in charge of the outing were: Chairman, George E. Hutchins, E. E. Maynard, and W. Zimmer.

BY "REST CURE"

MARSHALL FIELD, JR., SAVED FROM DEATH.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., June 17.—Marshall Field, Jr., son of Chicago's wealthiest citizen, has been saved from death after a month's struggle by the "rest cure" treatment of Dr. S. Weir Mitchell of this city. Heir to a fortune estimated at over $100,000,000, young Mr. Field became seriously ill in Chicago this spring. The best physicians of that city studied his case, which was one of nervous breakdown, but held out little hope of permanent recovery. He was advised to place himself under Dr. Mitchell, and did so. The exact nature of his complaint is not made known.

Special shirt waist sale at the Merrimack Clothing Co. $1.50 waists selling at $1.00—Women's Dept.

TAKE HIS CHOICE

METCALF CAN PICK HIS CABINET JOB.

WASHINGTON, June 17.—An intimation received here last night from Oakland, Ca., the home of Representative Victor H. Metcalf, states that he has been offered his choice of the post of secretary of the navy and secretary of commerce and labor. This cannot be verified here, but is deemed probable, although it is seldom that a man is given his choice of two portfolios.

Women's fancy grey hosiery, regular 50-cent values, at 3 pairs for $1.00, Merrimack Clothing Co.

CECIL ADAMS

WILL APPEAR IN ROLE OF BAREBACK RIDER.

The success of the country circus, to be held at the Fair Grounds on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday nights of next week, in aid of the country week fund, is already assured.

There has been a most gratifying advance sale of tickets at Mr. Ellingwood's store, and inquiries have been received from three of the suburban towns.

More "talent" was engaged for the performance yesterday. Cecil L. Adams, the former Adonis of the city council, and more recently of the legislature, will appear in a daring bareback act. He will ride an untamed steed. A real bareback rider has also been secured in New York, and he will bring a trained horse with him.

Edmund B. Conant will be the ringmaster. He knows all about horses, and is one of the crack whips of the Vesper-Country club.

Joseph Seabury, who made such a hit in the last Colonial hall play, is to appear in the unique character of the "Happy Hooligan." It is expected that this act alone will attract Boston people to the performance.

The "cast" will meet in Colonial hall tonight, and all of the talent is expected to be present.

Four waterproof tents will be used for the performance, and a big side show is being organized.

Japanese silk shirt waists, tailored effects, worth $2.50, for $1.98, at the Merrimack—Women's Dept.

EXTREME PENALTY

CHARLES CANNON . . . FIFTEEN YEARS.

NEW YORK, June 17.—Charles K. Cannon, supreme court commissioner of Hoboken, who was found guilty of charges made by young girls, was sentenced yesterday in the county court of Jersey City to 15 years in state prison and to pay a fine of $1000, the extreme penalty. Judge Dale said:

"It is a painful duty to sentence you on a charge of this nature, and from your education, environment and means it is incomprehensible to me why you should be guilty of such an offence. You must be either of unsound mind, morally depraved, or else you are a scoundrel."

Cannon's son stood by his side while sentence was being pronounced. Pending the filing of a writ of error, Cannon was released on his old bail of $10,000.

HARRISON WILL FIGHT.

CHICAGO, June 17. Mayor Carter H. Harrison and his political managers yesterday decided to contest before the democratic national committee five of the Chicago districts. The mayor has legal advice to the effect that in the event of the ten delegates, including the mayor himself, being seated as delegates, they will not be bound by the Hearst instructions adopted by the democratic state convention at Springfield, Ill.

William Tait of Gorham st. has gone to New York for a two weeks' vacation.

SULTAN YIELDS

Bandit Fraissouli Gets a Governorship

TANGIER, Morocco, June 17.—Fraissouli's new demand is the governorship of four large tribes, which extend from the gates of Tangier nearly to Larache and Alcazar, covering some 500 square miles. The Moorish government concedes this demand, which means that European ministers will be brought into direct diplomatic communication with Fraissouli in all cases which concern the districts in question.

Fraissouli's post as governor will mean, if the usual etiquette is followed, amicable exchanges of visits with the ministers as soon as he takes up his appointment. This demand is not publicly known, but will cause consternation in Tangier and the districts in question, which always have been against Fraissouli, and where, by this arrangement, he will be free to carry out his vindictive intentions against his supposed enemies to his heart's content, without the possibility of any restraint. It is not certain he will not make further demands.

The Moorish government gives another example of its sublime incapacity. Having disbanded one army at Fraissouli's demand, it has now sent here another force of 600 men and some cavalry. This act entirely cancels the disbanding of the troops and will appear to Fraissouli as treachery and scarcely can fail to delay the release of the prisoners. The Moorish governments' intention to send these troops was unknown to the native officials and the British and American ministers, and causes apprehension and dismay. The force is said to be intended to guard European interests here, but the men are evil looking, filthy specimens of the worst type of Moorish soldiers, whose reputation during the time they have been camping uselessly at Casa Blanca has been of the worst.

These troops, who never have been in contact with Europeans, or under any discipline, form as great a danger as the depredations of the tribesmen, if not greater. The Moorish government's action doubtless has been taken with the idea of rendering unnecessary the landing of European or American troops, but is likely to have exactly the opposite effect. The least panic in town would set the soldiers to looting.

The most important point, however, for the moment, is the effect this introduction of troops will have upon Fraissouli, and I regret to say I now consider the position of the captives very precarious.

The British and American authorities strongly protested to Mohammed El Torres, the representative of the sultan. The commander of the troops brings letters announcing that more soldiers will probably arrive here soon.

New styles in the Dolly Varden silk four-in-hands, 25c, at the Merrimack.

M. J. QUINN

Electrical contractor, no job too small, none too large for us. All work done in a first class manner and all orders promptly attended to. Give us a trial order. 22 Middle st. Telephone 838-4.

MRS. FLEMING HURT

TRAMPLED UPON BY CROWD RUSHING FOR A CAR.

Mrs. Bridget Flemming, wife of Councilman James Flemming, met with an accident in Merrimack square last night, sustained a fracture of the left arm. Mrs. Flemming had just alighted from a car from the Navy Yard and was making her way towards the sidewalk when she was caught in a crowd which was rushing for the car to Lakeview and she was thrown to the ground and trampled upon.

Several people who saw her fall managed to clear the crowd away and Mrs. Flemming was picked up and complained of a pain in her left arm and side and was removed to St. John's hospital in the ambulance, where upon examination it was found that she was suffering from a fracture of the arm. Mrs. Flemming resides at 2 Bay state court.

Women's black lawn waists, hemstitched, tucked fronts; were $1.50, now $1.00, at the Merrimack.

CHILDREN'S ENTERTAINMENT.

A highly amusing children's entertainment was held at the Mt. Vernon Free Baptist church last evening. The members of the primary Sunday school class, assisted by Miss Pierce's class, furnished the entertainment, the principal feature of which was a doll drill. The little children participating were Greta Cady, Dolly Rowland, who were the leaders; Blanche Steindorf, Alice Erskine, Nettie Gillespie, Elsie Rowland, Vera Morton and Gertrude Eaton. The remainder of the program consisted of piano solos, readings and songs, and also of choruses by the class, and those taking part were little Misses Marion Clark, Marion Mochrie, Elsie Rowland, Blanche Sennett, Dolly Rowland, Lillian Abbott, Margery Wrigley, Greta Cady and Nettie Gillespie and Master Paige Remick.

Ice cream and cake were served at the end of the entertainment, Misses Etta B. Pierce and Emily Wrigley having charge of the sweet tooth end of the program, which did not prove the least enjoyable to the little folk.

Fancy hose in new gray effects, some with white feet, at 17c a pair, regularly 25c, at the Merrimack.

CLUB SOCIAL ELECTED OFFICERS.

The Club Social de Pawtucketville held its semi-annual election of officers last evening, and there was but one change in the list, that being in the office of assistant secretary. Those were as follows: President, Rodrigue Deschenеaux; vice president, Joseph Davian; secretary, Leopold C. Gelinas; assistant secretary, Paul T. Charbonneau; treasurer, Frederic Theriault; assistant treasurer, Euclide Cinq-Mars; sergeant-at-arms, Joseph Boivin. The installation of these officers will be held at the coming regular meeting, Thursday next.

The subject of the annual club picnic was also discussed at the assembly the following committee being appointed to organize the affair: Emile Gelinas, president; L. N. Milot, secretary, Frederic Theriault, treasurer; W. W. Thibodeau, Joseph Davian, Omer Deschenеaux, Charles Chandonnet, Henri Gelinas, Albert Payette and Rodrigue Deschenеaux, ex-officio.

Miss May Maguire of Boston is the guest of the Misses Levery of Pine street.

Straw hats 50c to $3—plenty of the much wanted split straws—at the Merrimack Clothing Co.

SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

The regular meeting of Elgin lodge, No. 6, New England Order of Protection, was held last night at Highland Hall and received a grand visit from District Deputy Grand Warden Frances L. Colsom of Salem. She was accompanied by the following: D. D. G. G., Carrie E. Sargent of Haverhill; D. G. W., W. E. Holt of Lowell; D. G. W., F. E. Smith of Billerica and D. G. W. G. E. Sellers of Lawrence, Mass.

After the transaction of routine business and an address by the District Deputy Grand Warden Colsom, a banquet was served and a social hour enjoyed. Besides the members of Elgin lodge there were representatives present from Talbot lodge of Billerica, and Echo and Neptune lodge of this city.

The committee in charge of the evening's arrangements was composed of the following named: Carrie E. Buxton, chairman, Mrs. W. G. Bowen, Miss Mabel Chapman and W. E. Holt.

Concord lodge, No. 6, Fraternal Helpers, met in regular session last night at Post 88, G. A. R., hall. Several applications for membership were received and there was a large attendance of members. At the close of the business meeting a fine musical and literary program was carried out.

The "L. P. L." orchestra composed of Mrs. Sanford Leary, pianist; Messrs. Frank Perry, violin; Jeff Leighton, Lester Foster clarionette; Master Joe M. Leary, cornet, rendered several selections and although it was their first public apearance they showed much ability and will be heard from again. Lorenzo Gace gave one or two recitations in his usual good manner. Mr. Millage Feindel gave several selections on the phonograph.

One of the most notable numbers was a song by Mrs. W. S. Davis which was finely rendered. She was accompanied by Mrs. Sanford Leary. Mr. Bert Tice gave a funny selection in costume which was loudly applauded.

The committee also served ice cream and cake. The affair was in charge of Mrs. Will G. Farmer, and Mrs. Clara Leary.

The regular meeting of Eirene lodge, I. O. G. T., was held last night and was largely attended. Two candidates were initiated and after the regular meeting a very enjoyable entertainment was given. Remarks were made by different members of the order and a fine musical program was carried out.

Theodore E. Parker formerly superintendent of the local telephone exchange, was in town Monday.

Lincoln R. Welch, a Carney medal scholar of the Lowell high school, Mrs. Welch, and her mother, Mrs. Joyce, were

New Lawn White Waists at 98c, $1.25 and $1.49 at Chris. Holmes', 124-126 Merrimack street.

NEW OFFICERS CHOSEN.

The Ladies' Aid society of St. Paul's church met at the home of Mrs. S. T. Brown Tuesday afternoon and the following officers were elected: President, Mrs. S. T. Brown; vice presidents, Mrs. Albert Coburn, Mrs. W. D. Brown, Mrs. J. H. Martin and Mrs. J. P. Ritchie; treasurer, Mrs. Fred Morrison; secretary, Mrs. George Clark; managers, Mrs. James Ashworth, Mrs. Charles Hard, Mrs. Edwin Cleworth, Mrs. Charles Naylor, Mrs. Roberts, Mrs. Merton Glidden, Mrs. George Olmstead and Mrs. Miles Snow; collector, Miss Martha Bradley; entertainment committee, Mesdames Cleworth, Martin and Hard.

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Refrigerators

Made of thoroughly seasoned ash wood, with heavy metal linings and galvanized iron shelves, leaving no wood exposed on the inside of the refrigerator. The best selling sizes, 28 inch, 30 inch and 36 inch wide, sell for $10.00, $13.00 and $15.00 Each. A moderately priced refrigerator of good construction.

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WOOD'S

Electric Gold and Silver Dressing

A perfect cleansing solution for gold, silver or plated ware, manufactured for George H. Wood. There is no better polish on the market. We are making a special run on this Polish for a few days. The regular price is 25 cents a bottle. Special price.....12c, or 2 Bottles for 25 Cents

Woods' Great Bargain and Jewelry Store

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Lowest Prices | 157 MIDDLESEX STREET | Best Terms

Fourth of July and Summer Vacation Suits

Take a walk up or down Middlesex street, stop at No. 1577, look in our window and you will not want to go any further, for you will see materials, designs and cuts at prices that will surprise you. Come in, see the complete range, and we know you will agree with us that we are certainly Lowell's credit outfitters, and will wonder at our prices and how we can do it. The secret is, we know the clothing business thoroughly, and do our own buying. The young men of Lowell are fast finding that out; results, they are wearing nobbier and better fitting clothes at less money this season than they have in the past.

Outing Suits

All the leading materials and designs, $5.95, $6.95, $7.95, $9, $12, $13.

Fancy Suits, Scotch Cheviots, Cassimeres, Fancy Worsteds, Oriental Stripes and Homespuns, $11.95, $13, $14, $15, $17.

Black Clay and Unfinished Worsteds, $9, $11, $15, $17, $23.

Blue Oswego Serges, single or double breasted, $9.93, $13, $15.

Trousers

A large and complete range of nobby patterns, $1.50, $2, $2.25, $2.75, $3, $3.50, $4, $4.50, $5.

White and Fancy Vests, finest range of patterns in the city, $1.50, $2, $2.25, $2.75, $2.85, $3.25, $4.15

Young Men's Suits, college cut, single and double breasted in Black Thibets, Vicunas, Unfinished Worsteds and Scotch Cheviots, cut, prices and designs just what you want to be well dressed.

Boys' and Children's Department. Mothers should spend a half hour looking over our very large range of up-to-date styles for the little fellows. It will be money in your pockets to do so.

Men's and Boys' Hats and Caps. Straws—a complete line of all the leading blocks and braids, 25c, 50c, 75c, $1, $1.25, $1.50. Furnishing Department. Every line up-to-date. Neglige Shirts 50c, 75c, $1, $1.25. Kid Gloves, Neckwear, Underwear, Etc. Belts for Outing Suits 25 and 50c.

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Clothiers, Furnishers and Hatters on Credit
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DOUBLE BLUE TRADING STAMPS

WOMAN ATTACKED

Two Men Tied Her to a Bed

MALDEN, June 17.—Strapped to an iron bedstead by towels, with a revolver pointed at her head and her life threatened, is the experience claimed by Mrs. Lena Burnett, aged 22, residing at the corner of Orchard and Lebanon streets, yesterday afternoon, although neighbors saw nothing of her alleged assailants. The victim is suffering somewhat from her experience and the police are looking for the assailants.

Mrs. Burnett states that about 3.30 yesterday afternoon two men came to her front door and rang the bell. She answered the door and upon opening it the men forced an entrance she running upstairs to an attic room, closely followed by them. When she entered the room the men caught her and after a struggle tied her to the bedstead with towels, pointed a revolver at her head and told her to not to make any noise or they would kill her.

While one of the men stood by her with a revolver the other, she says, went downstairs, ransacked the bureaus and sideboards, and after 10 minutes called to the man upstairs to come along. He left after threatening her life if she made an outcry for half an hour.

Fifteen minutes after the men left she released herself and went to the front door and seeing Henry Paul of Boston passing the house, told him of the assault. She thought the men were in the house at the time, but after Paul made a thorough search he was unable to locate them.

The Malden officers were notified and Sergt. Powers with a squad of officers visited the house and searched the cellar and all the rooms in the house, but were unable to find the men.

They found the bureau drawers had been opened and a box containing valuable jewelry, consisting of two women's watches, rings and diamonds, had been overlooked.

She describes the men who assaulted her, one about 40 years of age, 5 feet 11 inches tall, of slim build, grayish hair, smooth face and wearing a black and white suit. The second man was about 50 years of age, 5 feet 5 inches tall, weighed 140 pounds and wore a blue suit.

Nothing was missing from the house and it is thought that the men were frightened away. Sergt. Powers found no marks of violence on the woman, but did find a large towel tied to the iron bedstead.

There was a circus in Malden yesterday and it is thought by the police that the men might have been following the circus. None of the neighbors living in the vicinity saw the men and several of them were sitting on their piazzas at the time the assault was said to have been committed.

MATRIMONIAL

Mr. William J. Caddell and Miss Nellie Murphy were married Wednesday evening at 6.30 o'clock at the residence of the officiating clergyman, Rev. Mr. Briggs, pastor of the First Pentecostal church. The bride wore gray crepe de chine with satin trimmings and carried bride roses. The bridemaid was Miss Bell Conrad, who carried pink roses. The groom was attended by his brother, Mr. Robert D. Caddell of Marlboro. Following the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride, 19 Farmland road. Refreshments were served and the young ladies in attendance were Misses Jessie Murphy, Reba Jones and Emma Jones. Mr. and Mrs. Caddell were the recipients of many beautiful and costly presents. Amid showers of rice and followed by the congratulations of their many friends, the couple left at 9.15 for their honeymoon and they will visit New York, Philadelphia and several other places of interest before they return.

BROCKWAY—TAIT.

George A. Brockway, popular driver for the American Express company, and Miss Emma J. Tait were married Wednesday evening at the well appointed residence of the groom in Centre street, East Chelmsford. The ceremony was performed by Rev. A. R. Dilts, pastor of the Branch Street Baptist tabernacle, in the presence of the immediate relatives and friends of the contracting parties. The wedding was private because of the recent death of the bride's father, the late Robert Tait of Westford street. The house was prettily decorated for the occasion. The cultivated flower and the vagrant blossom taken from the wild wood, touched, blended and sent forth their sweet perfumes.

The bride was given away by her brother, Mr. Albert Tait of Everett, Mass. She was attired in a beautiful gown of white muslin and carried white roses. The bridemaid was Miss Emma Noyes of East Chelmsford, who wore a gown of white point d'esprit with lace trimmings and valenciennes lace and carried pink roses. Mr. W. H. Brockway, brother of the groom, was best man.

After congratulations had been showered upon the newly wedded couple, a reception followed and supper was served.

Mr. and Mrs. Brockway were the recipients of a number of costly wedding presents. The ushers were Mr. W. H. Noyes, Mr. Walter Boynton and Mrs. Robert Tait.

Mr. and Mrs. Brockway will be at home to their friends at their new home, Centre street, East Chelmsford, after July 1. No cards.

BATHER DROWNED

TWO YOUNG MEN TRIED TO SAVE HIM.

LEBANON, N. H., June 17—Edward Lynch, aged 15 years, was drowned in the Mascoma river yesterday afternoon while in bathing. He was unused to swimming and went into too deep water. Carl Allen, who was with him, and John Mitchell attempted to rescue him. Allen went to the bottom of the river with Lynch holding to his neck.

Doctors worked 35 minutes on the body, applying all known means of resuscitation, but without avail. Lynch was night operator at the telephone office here and lived with his mother Mrs. Kate Lynch, and sisters, Anna and Kate. He attended the public schools here.

SONS OF AMERICAN REVOLUTION.

ST. LOUIS, June 17—The following general officers were elected yesterday by the Society of the Sons of the American Revolution:

President-general James B. Hancock, of Penna.; vice-presidents general, Gen. George H. Uphill of Missouri; John Hall Earnest, of District of Columbia; Col. A. B. Cutler of California; Edward C. Cone, of New York; Charles K. Miller of Illinois; Secretary general and register general, A. Howard Clark, of District of Columbia; treasurer-general, I. W. Pierds, of Connecticut; Historian-general, George W. Bates of Michigan; Chaplain-general, Rev. J. W. Atwood of Ohio.

THE BON MARCHE DRY GOODS COMPANY

We Give S. & H. Green Trading Stamps. "They're Good as Gold"

A SPECIAL SALE OF

SMALL WARES, NOTIONS, JEWELRY AND TOILET GOODS

Opened Yesterday Morning.

As usual, a large and appreciative crowd were in attendance. These sales are an event which economists look forward to for weeks; they have never been disappointed; their expectations have always been realized consequently they make a quick and ready response to our announcements. We can't spare the space in this issue to enumerate the many bargains offered. (Wednesday's papers will give you that information.) We can only give you a bird's-eye-view of the gathering. JUDGE THE WHOLE BY THIS SMALL PART.

No. 1.
Brooks' 200 yd. Machine Thread, black, white and colors. Regular price 5c spool.
Sale Price 3 Spools for 10c

No. 2.
Pearl Buttons, sizes 14, 16, 18, 20. Regular price 5c doz.
Sale Price 2 Dozen for 5c

No. 3.
Fancy Frill Elastic, ¾ yd. lengths. Regular price 10c piece.
Sale Price 5c Piece

No. 4.
Large size Pin Cubes, black and assorted pins. Regular price 10c Slightly injured by dampness.
Sale Price 4c a Cube

No. 5.
Hose Supporters, black only; Women's, Misses' and Children's. Regular price 10c pair.
Sale Price 5c a Pair

No. 6.
Canary Carpet and Button Thread black only. Regular price 5c.
Sale Price 3c Spool

No. 7.
Spool Silk, 50 yd. spools; black only. Regular price 2c spool.
Sale Price 3 Spools for 5c

No. 8.
Ball Buttons (pearl with self shank). Regular price 19c and 21c dozen.
Sale Price 12½c Dozen

No. 9.
Wood Back Hair Brushes. The kind for camp. They would sell regularly for 19c.
Sale Price 10c Each

No. 10.
Six-inch Scissors, a 15c grade.
Sale Price 10c Pair

No. 11.
Two-handled Hair Curlers.
Sale Price 2c Each

No. 12.
Tar Soap; good, large cake. Usually 5c.
Sale Price 2 Cakes for 5c

No. 13.
Nail Brushes, with and without handles. Some have wings. Regular price 25c.
Sale Price 15c Each

No. 14.
7 in. Shears, good steel. A regular 25c grade. The only trouble with them is that a firm name is etched on blade.
Sale Price 15c Each

No. 15.
Rubber Dressing Combs, 8 in size. Regular price 10c.
Sale Price 6c Each

No. 16.
Pearl Waist Sets, 3 in set. Regular price 25c.
Sale Price 10c

No. 17.
Sash Pins; gilt, grey, oxydized and fancy settings. Worth 25c.
Sale Price 10c

No. 18.
Belt Sets; gilt, gun metal, and grey. Worth 25c.
Sale Price 10c

No. 19.
Waist Sets, (36 styles in assortment). Regular price 25c.
Sale Price 5c Set

No. 20.
Hat Pins; silver, gilt and fancy. Regular price 5c.
Sale Price 2c

No. 21.
Real Morocco Chatelaine Bags. Regular price $1.00.
Sale Price 59c

No. 22.
Sterling Silver Cuff Links. Regular price 25c.
Sale Price 15c

A Special Sale of

Beautiful Ribbons

Opens This Morning

This is an opportune event. It comes right in the midst of the season when these dainty things are in the greatest demand. They are used for innumerable things, graduations, weddings and the thousand and one conceits that have birth in the feminine mind.

THIS IS YOUR CHANCE TO SUPPLY YOUR NEEDS AT VERY LITTLE COST.

A splendid assortment Satin Taffeta Ribbons, in Brown, Beige, Violet, Reseda, Light Green, Light Blue, Champagne, Pink, Lemon, White and Black.

Nos. 40 and 50, regularly 19c and 25c yard .....Now 13c | Nos. 60 and 80, regularly 29c and 33c yard .....Now 17c | No. 100, regularly 39c yard Now 19c

ONE LOT OF FANCY RIBBONS, 4 and 4 1-2 inches wide, worth 25c and 29c yard .....16c YARD

ONE LOT OF SASH RIBBONS, in satin, Satin Liberties and Metallic Taffetas, 6 to 7 1-2 inches wide. Regularly 49c to 89c yard ..... 39c YARD

BABY RIBBON.....7c YARD

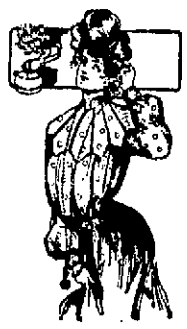
NO. 1 BLACK SATIN BACK VELVET RIBBON, ALL SILK, always sells for 59c piece.....33c PIECE

METALLIC TAFFETA WASH RIBBON, colors and black. 3 in. wide, regular 12 1-2c, now 9c yard. 3 1-2 in. wide, regular 15c and 17c, now 11c yard. 4 in. wide, regular 19c yard, now 14c yard.

A Splendid Value in Children's Coutil Underwaists

The material in a fine firm quality Coutil, corded and stayed the same as any 25c grade should be. However, in many particulars it is not up to our 25c standard. We had a chance to buy 25 dozen of them at a very low price, we did so and they are here today and tomorrow at..... 15c EACH

VERY ATTRACTIVE SHIRT WAISTS



FIGURED DIMITY WAISTS 98c.—Tucked front, with 2 in. lace panel, tucked back, large sleeves, 2 in. cuffs and stock.

BLACK LAWN WAISTS 98c—Tucked front, black buttons, French back, 2 button cuffs and "new" stock.

WHITE LINEN WAISTS, $1.98—Very mannish, broad plaited front, French back, 2 button cuff, new style sleeves, tab stock.

FIGURED MADRAS WAISTS 98c—Front made with eight broad tucks, tucked back, large sleeves, fancy stock, worth $1.50.

WHITE LAWN WAISTS $1.98—Front composed of all over tucking and broad panel and straps of lace insertion, forming yoke front and back, military shoulders, tucked sleeves, cuffs and stock, worth $2.50.

FIGURED TAFFETA SILK WAISTS $3.98—Box plaited front, bust effect, tucked back, sleeves and cuffs; plain stock, with ruch trimmings. The colors are very handsome, changeable green and red, with both stripes and dots, also black, gray and blue figured. A splendid value.

A Sale of

"IDEAL" BED COMFORTS

Without doubt the most desirable summer covering ever produced at a reasonable price. The cotton is light as down, clean, pure and free from specks. Samples may be seen in section where they are sold. The coverings are bright, attractive silkalines in dark or light colorings. The price within the reach of all.

$1.49 each

HOTELS AND LARGE CONSUMERS TAKE NOTICE.

Excellent Footwear for Women Folks and the Little Ones

Women's Oxfords $1.49 Pair

New Patterns in fine Vici Kid, with patent or kid tips, heavy or medium soles; also Patent Leather Bluchers, either lace or the new Blucher button.

MISSES' AND CHILDREN'S OXFORDS in tan, patent or kid, 98c pair, all sizes.

BOYS', YOUTHS' AND CHILDREN'S SNEAKERS—black, white or brown, 49c pair.

Bare Foot Sandals, sizes to fit every foot from the smallest baby up, 49c to 98c pair.

A Special Sale of

P. N. and KABO CORSETS

OPENS THIS MORNING

This store is the mecca for economists in general, corset economists in general. If you have kept track of our store news you no doubt have discovered the fact that we have had some surprising good things lately, and

Now We Have Another Good Thing for You

We have just received 25 DOZEN NO. 825 KABO CORSETS. A model that always sells for $2.00 pair. It is made of coutil, with trimmings at top and bottom of white satin. The boning of course is non-rustable steel; ALSO 25 DOZ. P. N. CORSETS, several styles in this lot, nine worth less than $1.00 pair, one style worth $1.50. No need to extol the virtues of either P. N.'s or Kabo's, you know what they are. The above lots we have put on sale in front of elevator, and marked them

69c pair

Under Price Offerings in the Suit Section

Women's Taffeta and Foulard

Silk Shirt Waist Suits $10 Friday and Saturday

The regular price is $12.50; the designs are very attractive, some of the prettiest shown this season.

WOMEN'S SHIRT WAIST SUITS, FRIDAY AND SATURDAY, $3.98—In chambray and fine ginghams, plain or checked, 15 styles to choose from. Regularly $4.98 and $5.98.

WOMEN'S WALKING SKIRTS, $3.98—Fancy mixtures, mohair, linen, pique and wool materials.

RAIN COATS AND TRAVELLING GARMENTS, $9.98—In fancy mixtures and fine cravenettes. These garments are priced regularly at $16.50, but for Friday and Saturday we mark them $9.98.

CHILDREN'S LINEN GINGHAM AND LAWN ONE-PIECE DRESSES, 98c TO $4.98.

A SPECIAL GINGHAM AT 98c—Worth $1.49, good quality material, in pink, blue, red, plain and broken checks, neatly trimmed with braid and embroidery, sizes up to 14 years.

MILLINERY PRICES TAKE A TUMBLE

If You Are in Need of a Hat Read Over the Following List:

TRIMMED HATS 98c EACH—Some of them sold for $2.98; trimmings of lace, roses, ribbon, etc.

TRIMMED HATS $1.98—Some of them sold for $4.98; the trimmings are wreaths, foliage, null long ribbon ties.

TRIMMED HATS $1.49 EACH—Some of them sold for $3.98; horse hair braid and chiffon, some have long ties which reach to the knee.

TRIMMED HATS $2.98 EACH—Some of them sold for $5.98; fancy lace tuscans with trimmings of poppies and ribbon.

All of Our Model and Imported Hats. One-Half Price.

A NEW LINE OUTING AND READY-TO-WEAR HATS.

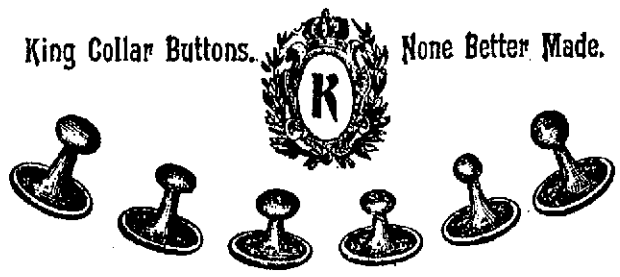
Felts, Fancy Straws and Milan Braid, trimmings of fancy feathers and flowers. Prices range from

Prices range from 39c to $4.98

Important Sale

"KING" Collar Buttons

King Collar Buttons. None Better Made.



Marked at a price that will create the liveliest interest among men folks. We have just received 100 gross of this famous Button, a button that sells regularly at 30c for a card of six. Friday and Saturday they go on sale

AT 6c FOR A CARD OF SIX.

They are 10-karat gold filled, made in one piece, no joints to break when you are in a hurry. A choice of six styles for your selection. On sale front of main entrance.

A HANDSOME 19c VEST FOR 12 1-2c EACH

Jersey ribbed, full bleached, fancy drop stitched, neck has 3 in. lace trimming, a garment that has always sold for nineteen cents; while they last twelve and one-half cents.

Another Sale of Roses and Pinks Saturday Morning

You know what a mob we had last week, come early and avoid it. THE PRICE WILL BE

1 Cent Each

MR. LADUE QUIT

Again He Failed to Stand the Gaff

JACKSON DOWNED HIM IN 12 MINUTES

And Ladue Refused to Go on the Mat Again

William Ladue, the erstwhile mighty wrestler, went down and out in the estimation of the local sporting public when he quit in his handicap match with Charles Jackson of Campello, at Huntington hall, last evening. Friends of Ladue had put up the money for his appearance and side bet and had wagered a large amount of money on him. They afterward stated like good sports, that they did not mind losing their money if their man went along and did the best he could but when he deliberately quit on them they felt sore clear through.

Jackson agreed to throw Ladue three times in an hour or lose and if Ladue succeeded in downing Jackson once in that time Jackson would lose. All holds were to go and the flip of a coin to decide the referee.

The wrangling started early when the men came together to select a referee. Ladue insisted upon Nelson Cote, a lightweight wrestler who was refereeing the preliminary, while Jackson was willing to take Luke Walsh, George Gray, Dick Casey, Walter Watkins, Henri Pepin, Con. Desmond, or anyone who knew the game. But Ladue refused to accept any one but Cote and for a short time it looked as if there might be no match.

Finally a friend of Ladue's noticed big Jim Pettigrew, formerly of Lowell, in the audience. Jim in days gone by was the pride of the local Caledonian club at all its picnics. He could wrestle, run, jump, put the shot and throw the hammer and could step to the tune o' the pipes. Moreover Mr. Pettigrew is thoroughly honest and in this case was a disinterested spectator. The friend after considerable coaxing got Ladue's consent to accept Pettigrew, and Jackson accepted him without a murmur.

It was announced by by Timekeeper L. J. Thyne that pin falls only would count and that there would be no rest between falls.

Prior to the match Jackson examined Ladue's back and shoulders suspicious that the local man might have oiled himself as is sometimes done. The oil makes the body greasy and it is next to impossible to get a grip on when thus oiled. Ladue asked the timekeeper and a reporter of The Sun to examine him for the presence of oil and they did, finding none.

The men then went on the mat and the hopes of the Ladue people rose high at the start for Ladue instead of acting in the defensive carried the battle to his opponent and for a time kept him busy. At one time Ladue got a strangle hold on Jackson and for a moment it looked decidedly bad for Jackson. The latter's only hope was to rush Ladue off the mat and this he did, the two going some 20 feet across the floor in the rush.

The referee ordered the men back to the mat and to take the same hold. The men wrangled over the hold for a few seconds and then Ladue placed the hold and the referee said: "Go." Instantly Jackson by brute strength grasped Ladue by the legs and raised himself off the mat lifting Ladue with him and thus breaking the dread strangle hold. Then he got Ladue under him on the mat and after that it was all Jackson.

After much diddling Jackson put on a hammer lock that got Ladue in the proper position for a shift to an up-end arm hold which brought Ladue in the position of a man standing on his head, but so pinioned as to prevent him creeping around in his head. In this position Jackson slowly forced Ladue's shoulders to the mat and when they had rested on the mat three seconds Referee Pettigrew declared Jackson winner of the first fall. The time was 11 minutes, 48 seconds.

The men immediately resumed their seats though as soon as the announcement of the fall was made Jackson was on the mat again demanding that Ladue come out and wrestle without resting as per agreement. Ladue sat in his chair while his attendant, Mickey Larkin fanned him with a towel.

The referee went over to Ladue and ordered him to proceed with the second fall but Ladue without getting off the chair began to protest against the manner in which the referee had used him claiming that after having the strangle hold on Jackson when they went off the mat he was not allowed to put it on again when they returned to the mat.

After about three minutes Referee Pettigrew again asked Ladue to go on the mat while the crowd yelled at Jackson to tackle him where he sat. Ladue arose from his chair and instead of going on the mat faced the crowd and started to argue.

Referee Pettigrew then declared Jackson the winner of the match.

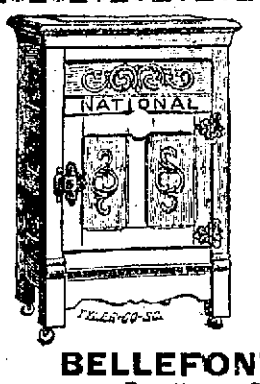
The crowd hissed and hooted Ladue as he went to his dressing room and several hundred waited for him to go out. As they followed him down to the box office it looked as though he was due for rough handling. At the box office Ladue found that his share of the receipts had been attached by Constable Gately on behalf of Jackson who claimed that Ladue obtained $35.64 on Memorial night after forfeiting his share of the receipts by refusing to wrestle.

Ladue then went out of the hall followed by the crowd and turned down Shattuck street where he was soon lost in the darkness.

For preliminaries, Young Barrett and Young Chaput wrestled to a draw.

The Sun long ago informed the public that Ladue wrestling matches would bear watching and The Sun was right as subsequent events have shown. Reinecke laid down to him and even Jackson who last night made him quit, laid down to him on a former occasion. The Sun will continue to show up any fake sporting events as they come along, even as it did the Ladue matches, last winter.

Have you guessed on the world's fair contest at the Merrimack? It costs nothing to guess and you may win $25.



Have You Bought a

Refrigerator

This Season

If not, you're really fortunate for now you have an opportunity to get one of any size you require. Hard wood, galvanized iron lining, asbestos mineral wool felt packing; an ice saver and food keeper, for a fourth off from regular price.

BELLEFONTAINE & CO.
Furniture, Carpets and Rugs
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The FLAT IRON

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Call and See Our Premium Display

If you can't get the article you want with your stamps, give us a call and we will give you any of the following articles.

If you wanted a 5 book sideboard and only had two books filled we allow you so much for books and you can pay the balance.

Our one book rugs are the talk of the town.

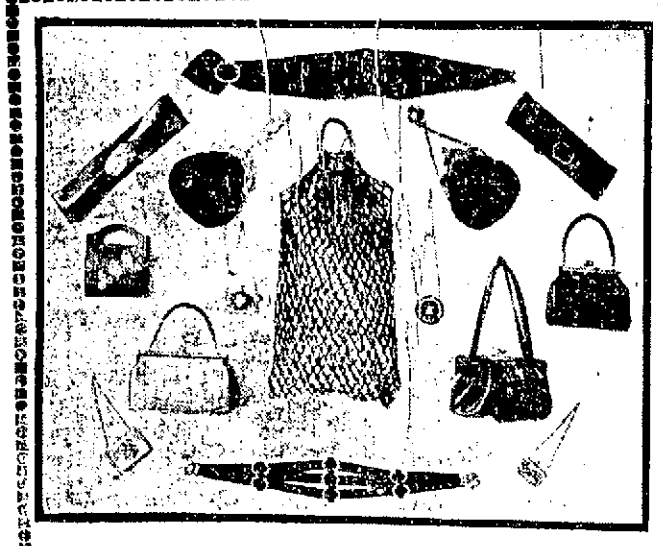
ONE BOOK—Rugs, Clocks, Rockers, Toilet Sets, Mirrors, Porch Rockers, Lamps, Draperies, Pictures.

TWO BOOKS—Morris Chairs, McKinley Rockers, Parlor Lamps, Hat Racks, Couches, Chiffoniers.

THREE BOOKS—Mahogany Music Cabinets, Book Cases.

FIVE BOOKS—Side Boards, China Closets.

630 Stamps—7 piece Berry Set.
630 Stamps—5 piece Gold Glassware.
800 Stamps—Parlor Rocker.
630 Stamps—Ball, bat, mask and gloves.
800 Stamps with 1 lb. Tea, Coffee, Baking Powder $1.45
150 Stamps with 1 lb. Assam Tea...70c
120 Stamps with 10c cake Almond Cream Soap.
150 Stamps with 1 lb. English Breakfast Tea 70c
100 Stamps with 1 lb. Oolong Tea..60c
120 Stamps with 1 lb. Best Baking Powder 50c
All Kinds of Stamps.



LADIES,

This is your chance before going on your vacation to attend our

SPECIAL MANUFACTURERS' SALE

Beginning June 17th and Continuing for One Week Only

We shall cut prices on all goods. Come early and get the best pick from all of our up-to-date

Bags, Belts, Pocket Books and Leather Novelties

A FEW SPECIALS:

One lot of 50c Back Combs 19c
One lot of Student Bags 21c
One lot of Peggy from Paris Bags 25c, 39c, 49c
One lot of White Bags 47c
One lot of Velvet Bags 89c
One lot of Chain Purses 19c
One lot of Tam Purses 37c
One lot of Purse Buckles 39c
One lot of Crushed Silk Belts (all colors) 49c
One lot of Crushed Leather Belts (all colors) 37c
And All Our Best Goods Marked Down Accordingly.

The Gallant Bag Manufacturing Co.
114 Central Street

WILL SUE FOR $100,000.

DENVER, Col., June 17—Former Governor Charles S. Thomas, it is announced, is preparing papers in behalf of James F. Burns, President and manager of the Portland mine, in a damage suit, which Burns will bring against Governor James S. Peabody, Adt. Gen. Sherman M. Bell and the state of Colorado for $100,000 for the closing of the Portland mine by the military.

Attorneys Richardson and Hawkins, acting for Charles H. Moyer, president of the Western Federation of Miners, are drafting papers in a suit for $50,000 damages which Moyer is to file against Gov. Peabody, Adjutant Bell and the state of Colorado.

Moyer's action is based on a charge of false imprisonment by the military authorities.

Fine black suits for first communion and confirmation at the Merrimack. All worsted clay suits are selling at $3.

HELD IN $3000.

BOSTON, June 17—Augustine A. Gale, 19 years old, was arraigned in the municipal court late yesterday and held in $3000 bail on the charge of manslaughter. Gale is alleged to have struck William Golding, on May 28, causing injuries that resulted in the latter's death.

IT'S HERE

The hot weather has at last put in an appearance. Now, look out for bugs. If you suspect the presence of roaches, bed bugs, ants, or any other kind of insect use Howard's Dead Easy, a guaranteed destroyer and preventive of every form of household vermin; 25 cents at druggists or of the maker, Howard, the druggist, 197 Central street.

WARREN STATUE

WAS DEDICATED IN ROXBURY TODAY.

BOSTON, June 17.—A monument in honor of General Jos. Warren was dedicated in Roxbury in the presence of thousands of persons today.

After the presentation of the statue to the city of Boston by the art commission, and the unveiling, Mayor Patrick A. Collins delivered an address of 50 minutes duration. An oration by Henry W. Putnam followed.

Later a parade was formed under Chief Marshall Isaac P. Gregg. In the line were detachments from the Ninth regiment, Roxbury Horse Guards, Grand Army, Sons of Veterans, Spanish War Veterans, firemen, school cadets and Masonic lodges.

After the parade Governor Bates, Mayor Collins, Hon. Charles S. Hamlin and Hon. Charles Galligher made appropriate addresses. The statue is a joint gift of the city of Boston and the people of Roxbury and is the work of Paul W. Bartlett, the artist-sculptor.

Boys' confirmation suits of pure worsted cheviot, well made and good fitting, at $2.00 a suit, at the Merrimack—worth a dollar more.

RAILROAD OFFICIALS

WILL INSPECT LEHIGH AND HUDSON PROPERTY.

PHILADELPHIA, June 17—President Baer, of the Reading company; President Truesdale, of the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western railroad; President Thomas, of the Lehigh Valley railroad, President Riley of the Lehigh Coal and Navigation company and Third Vice President Provost of the Penna., left this city for a tour of inspection of the Lehigh and Hudson railroad property.

The above named companies are owners of the Lehigh and Hudson railroad company. It is understood that the holdings of the Lehigh Coal and Navigation company are to be taken over by the other four. The securing of the Lehigh and Hudson will prevent any foreign road from gaining an entrance in to the anthracite coal fields, except that which the Lehigh and Hudson and the Lehigh and New England railroads can furnish. While the Lehigh Coal and Navigation company holds a half interest in the Lehigh and New England, it is understood that it represents other anthracite coal carriers. It is said the inspection is for the purpose of agreeing on a number of improvements and the double-tracking of the lines.

ELECTRIC SHINE.

People that have silver or plated ware should read Wood's wonderful offer a silver polish sale. Something you should never be without. Bottle of it will save labor and do the work in short order. Call at H. H. Wood's for the goods. See adv. in this issue.

O'Donnell's wedding hacks can't be beat.

ANNUAL LAWNPARTY

OF THE LADIES AUXILIARY, A. O. H.

Great interest centres in the picnic of the Ladies Auxiliary, A. O. H., at Mountain Rock tomorrow afternoon and evening. The ladies are preparing to surprise their friends with features that are sure to delight everybody. The affair takes the form of a lawn party and dancing, concert, base ball and sports will furnish a variety of entertainment rarely equalled.

All the cars needed will be run to Mountain Rock during the afternoon and anybody who misses the extras can go on the Nashua. Arrangements are made for Chinese lantern display in the evening.

Wool crash walking skirts, fine tailorder, worth $5.00, selling at $3.95, at the Merrimack Clothing Co.—Women's Dept.

HOUSE RANSACKED

ROBBERS ENTERED JULIA WARD HOWE'S HOME.

NEWPORT, R. I., June 17.—The summer home of Mrs. Julia Ward Howe, at Portsmouth, was entered yesterday and completely ransacked.

The house has not yet been opened for the summer, and until some member of the family arrives here and makes an investigation it will be impossible to say how extensive were the operations of the burglars.

AT LAKEVIEW.

There will be fireworks and a band concert at Lakeview park Saturday night.

FIRST COMMUNION SUITS.

An all worsted cheviot suit at $2 and a pure worsted clay suit at $3 are the leaders offered by the Merrimack Clothing Co. this week. Either suit is well made, and worth a dollar more than the price quoted.

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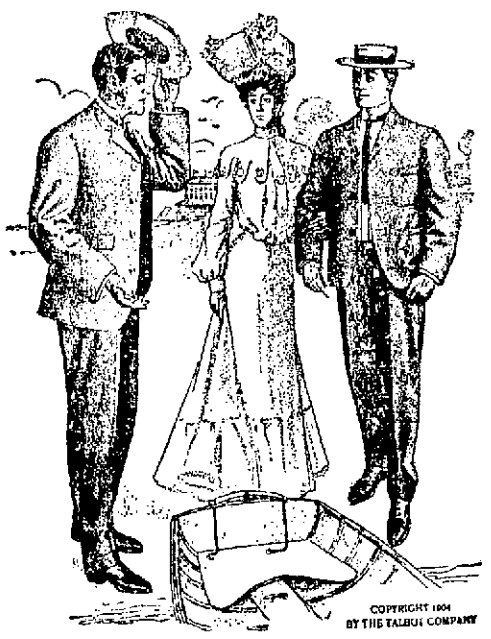

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$12.50 and $15.00

This collection represents the cream of Hart, Schaffner & Marx spring stock. Choice fabrics and colorings made up in the latest shapes and styles which are exclusive with them, it is a collection of suits that will appeal to the man who wants the best there is in ready-to-wear clothing and who is accustomed to pay the highest price to obtain it. To these we say there is no better clothing made than that made by Hart, Schaffner & Marx, and the prices we name hardly cover the cost of manufacturing, Hart, Schaffner & Marx finest suits at

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Young Men's Black Suits For Graduation

Both double and single breasted styles in Cheviots, Vicunas, Thibets and undressed Worsteds, also a fine line of Blue Serges in same styles at

$10, $12, $15, $18, $20, $22, $25.

Boys' Black Suits for First Communion and Confirmation

SPECIAL. 50 suits all wool black cheviot, two-piece suit at $1.50
Two-piece black clay worsted at - - - $2.50 and $3.50
Three-piece black clay worsted at - - $3.50 and $4.50

Children's Wash Suits—A special line of fine suits in white and fancy stripes, made with wide linen and standing collar suits that are new in style, entirely different from the ordinary kind at $1.75, $2, $2.50 and $2.75

All sizes on each lot 8 to 16 years.

THE TALBOT CLOTHING CO.

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GIRL ASSAULTED

Police Sergeant Accused of Attack

BOSTON, June 17—Eye-witnesses claim that Sergt. E. A. Webster of station 15, in the presence of Capt. Wyman of the same station brutally beat and assaulted a young girl in the station house early this morning, one of a trio arrested for riotous conduct in City square.

The trouble started at Sullivan square. Two prettily attired girls, accompanied by three young men, were making their way along Main street, in the direction of Boston, laughing and talking and enjoying themselves generally. Suddenly they were accosted by some Charlestown thugs, who passed remarks which were objected to by the escorts of the young women. In a moment a fight was in progress. Hundreds gathered, and the quarreling men and girls were followed to City square, where the police of Charlestown division, attracted by their cries, rushed to the scene.

Capt. Wyman and Sergt. Webster of division 15, together with Patrolman Morse of station 5 and several other officers, rushed upon the crowd. Sergt. Webster grabbed one of the girls and attempted to place her under arrest. She screamed for aid and one of the young men jumped in.

Blows were exchanged, the sergeant's helmet was knocked from his head and a deep gash was cut in the head of one of the young men, who later gave the name of William Gateley. The girls screamed, kicked and scratched frantically, and made efforts to tear themselves from the grasp of the officers. The officers surrounded the fighting parties, and with drawn clubs drove the crowd which had gathered before them.

The girls were literally dragged head foremost to the station house, but a few yards away. They appeared not under the influence of liquor, but hysterical from fright and enraged at what they thought to be an outrage committed upon them.

Nellie Gateley claiming to be the wife of the young man hurt was thrown upon the station house floor as she entered. She kicked and screamed and Sergt. Webster said that one of her feet came in contact with his head. In return he knelt upon the young woman thrust his knee upon her breast and hit her savagely.

Capt. Wyman witnessed the affair, but offered no protest.

"I'm a lady and I can prove it! This is an outrage! Have you not a sister or mother?" in anguish the young woman cried to the officer as he knelt upon her.

The sergeant only sneered.

Her companion, Florence McKenzie, called for water for the injured girl, but the officers paid no attention to her. She lay for some moments in a stupor upon the floor when two officers yanked her to her feet and she was booked before the captain. She gave her residence as Charlestown.

The girl, who called herself Nellie Gateley, said she was 18 years old and her companion, Florence McKenzie, claimed to be two years older. Both were neatly attired, young and pretty, and bore marks of refinement.

The young man who was arrested with them gave his name as William Gateley, and said he was the husband of Nellie. He said he was utterly at a loss to account for the action of the officers. They were locked in cells after having been booked.

During the progress of the fight in the station house, the witnesses and newspapermen present were ordered from the room, several being ejected bodily, and it was some time before they were again admitted, in order to record the arrests of the evening.

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I will sell at Public Auction two very desirable building lots, situated on the northerly side of E street, being the second and third lot from Powell street. The lots have a frontage of 60 feet, with a depth of 100 feet more or less. Contain about 6000 square feet each.

These lots are high and dry, in a good neighborhood and are the only lots that are not built on. Shaw Hosiery is but one hundred yards from the lots.

As the owners of these lots are about to leave the city, I have been instructed to sell regardless for what they will bring.

Terms of sale; $50 must be paid on each lot at time and place of sale; balance in 20 days.

Per order

JOHN G. HUSTON,
JAMES PURCELL.

NEVER HEADED

The Thomas Horse Won Suburban Handicap

NEW YORK, June 17.—Hermis, owned by Edward R. Thomas, easily won the Suburban handicap at Sheepshead Bay yesterday. The son of Hermence was on his toes when the barrier snapped. He crossed in front of six competitors, from the outside, and passed the judges' stand in the lead on his journey of one and one-quarter miles. From the position of command thus secured on the rail, he was never headed, and won, under a perfect ride, by Arthur Redfern, in the time of 2.05—the best on record for the Suburban, and two-fifths of a second slower than the track record of 2.04 3-5 held by McChesney. Irish Lad, the public favorite, failed entirely to justify the confidence of his backers and finished third—nosed out of second honors by The Picket. The summaries:

First, six furlongs on main track. Mamie Worth, 113, Burns, 9 to 5, and 1 to 2, won; Mizzen, 118, Bullman, 20 to 1, and 5 to 1, second; Reliable, 140, J. Boland, even and 2 to 3 third. Time—1.13 1-5.

Second, selling, one mile. Seymour, '98, Travers, 6 to 1, and 2 to 1, won; Letola, 96, Coleman, 4 to 1, and 8 to 5, second; The Southerner 111, Fisher, 30 to 1 and 10 to 1, third. Time—1.40.

Third, double event, last five and a half furlongs of futurity course, Song and Wine, 126, O'Neil, 10 to 4, and out, won; Sparkling Star, 117, Redfern, 100 to 1, and 30 to 1, second; Council, 122, Shaw, 10 to 1, and 5 to 2, third. Time—1.07 3-5.

Fourth race, Suburban handicap of $20,000, for 3-year-olds and upwards: one and one-quarters miles: Hermis, 127, Redfern, 4 to 1, and even, won; The Picket, 124, Helgesen, 5 to 1, and 6 to 5 second; Irish Lad, 127, Shaw even and 2 to 5, third. Time—2.05. Prepper, Major Dangerfield and Africander finished as named.

Fifth, last five furlongs fo futurity course: Diamond Flush, 115, Shaw 11 to 5, and even; Won; Don Royal, 118, Martin, 6 to 1, and 2 to 1, second; Delcantu, 118, Lyne, 30 to 1, and 12 to 1, third. Time—1.01 2-5.

Sixth, handicap, one mile and a sixteenth on turf. Leader, 110, Bullman, 6 to 1, and 2 to 1, won; Carbuncle, 109, Martin, 3 to 1 and even, second, Sweet Alice, 92, Notter 30 to 1, and 12 to 1, third. Time—1.48.

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BUNKER HILL DAY

Is Being Observed in Charlestown

BOSTON, June 17—The celebration of the anniversary of the battle of Bunker Hill, which was fought 129 years ago today, began before sunset last night and will continue until midnight tonight. Fireworks, firecrackers, band concerts, social and fraternal meetings and appropriate literary and historic exercises in the Charlestown district comprised last night's events. Throughout the length and breadth of the Charlestown district, many individuals and every club kept "open house."

The principal centres of interest were in City square and in the vicinity of the Bunker Hill monument. A police order had been promulgated forbidding the exploding of fireworks before four o'clock this morning, but this order was chiefly honored in the breach. Up to midnight six arrests had been made of persons who were caught violating this order.

According to their usual custom, King Solomon's lodge of Masons conducted commemorative exercises about the Bunker Hill monument last evening. The lodge placed a laurel wreath on the facsimile of the original monument erected by the lodge on the present site of the more famous granite one. Past Worshipful Master Ernest C. Marshall was the orator of the occasion.

Last night's general celebration was marked by an unusually large number of accidents due to the careless handling of fireworks.

ROUGH HOUSE

MEN TRIED TO CAPTURE A SALOON.

BOSTON, June 17—A lively "rough house" marked the close of a garden party in Apollo garden, Roxbury, last evening, and six young men were arrested by the police of division 10 for participating in it. The men taken into custody are John Maguire, John Magee, George Griffin, George Smith, John Daley and Frank Maher.

A few moments before 11 o'clock Lieut. Fessenden was notified that a gang of men had taken possession of the saloon of Jacob Boehner on Amory st. and was creating a disturbance there. He sent the patrol wagon with a squad of police under Sergt. O'Neil, and when the officers arrived there was a crowd of more than 100 in the vicinity of the saloon watching the struggle between a number of intoxicated men in the saloon.

Upon the arrival of the police, the crowd scattered, but the men in the barroom, mentioned above, were taken into custody.

DIAMONDS GONE

WOMAN HID THEM IN HER SHOES.

BOSTON, June 17.—Mrs. Josephine M. Sorenson of 266 West Canton street reported the loss of jewelry worth $1015, mostly in diamonds, to the police of station 6 yesterday afternoon.

According to her story she was in the habit of keeping her jewelry in one of her shoes. Yesterday she found it necessary to have the shoe repaired, but did not remember that the diamonds were in it.

She called her colored maid, Ella Galloway, and told her to take the shoes to a repairer on Columbus avenue. His name is Leo Monfredo and his shop is at 368A Columbus avenue. The shoes were sent to the repairer at 1.30 o'clock in the afternoon. While the girl was gone Mrs. Sorenson says she recalled the fact that she had secreted the diamonds in one of the shoes, and upon the girl's return she asked her if she had brought them back. The girl replied that she had not seen them.

The police of station 5 visited Monfredo, to whom the shoes had been sent, but he said there were no diamonds in the shoes when he received them from the servant. The mystery is what became of the jewelry.

The articles reported lost are:

A diamond sunburst brooch worth $500.

A crescent-shaped diamond pin worth $250.

A turquoise ring worth $160.

A sapphire ring worth $75.

A moonstone ring worth $40.

SECRETARY MOODY

WILL GLADLY ACCEPT ATTORNEY GENERALSHIP.

HAVERHILL, June 17.—Sec. of the Navy Moody returned to Washington yesterday in response to an unexpected summons. He would not say what the business was which required his presence there, but did not deny that it was in reference to his appointment as attorney general and the turning over of the navy portfolio to his successor.

His intimate friends in this city all recognize the fact that the change will be made, and believe that it is particularly agreeable to Mr. Moody and may result in a longer stay in the capital than he has heretofore intended.

BIGAMY CHARGED

A BOSTON MAN IS UNDER ARREST.

PROVIDENCE, June 17.—Edgar B. Kelley of Boston, a butcher, who came to Providence not long ago, pleaded not guilty in the court of common pleas yesterday to an indictment alleging bigamy. He was held in $1500 for trial before a jury the last part of the month.

The indictment charges that Kelley married Gertrude Stroh in Boston, Jan. 21, 1894, and that he married Mary Granfield in Providence, June 19, 1901.

SUBURBAN HANDICAP.

NEW YORK, June 17.—The Suburban handicap was run yesterday. By 2 o'clock, half an hour before the first race, the grand stand, club house, field and lawns were filled. Shorthose, the Gaughnehres' stable candidate for blue ribbon honors was scratched early leaving six horses to go. The track was in grand condition. Western interest centered in The Picket and Proper, winner and third, respectively in the Brooklyn handicap, but owing to the penalty of added weight given out to The Picket the eastern backers pinned their faith to Irish Lad, as they did in the Brooklyn. Hermis, too, had an army of supporters owing to his splendid showing in the Brooklyn handicap and the evident improvement in his condition. With only six starters the suburban gave promise of being one of the most thrilling struggles for turf honors and a purse of $20,000 ever witnessed on the turf.

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At 98c

We open up our new Wash Skirt Department with 25 dozen Skirts at 98c each. In entirely new and distinct styles, colors black and white, and blue and white, and black and white polka dot duck, $1.50 values.

At $1.49

Fancy Cheviot Skirts, 11 gore, all seams bound. In a variety of pretty designs, would ordinarily sell for $3.00.

At $1.98

A fine assortment of Irish Linen Skirts made to stand strenuous wear. This is a regular $3.50 Skirt.

WASH SUITS

At $1.98

There's not an item in this entire annoucement that is not a money saver. A fine French Cambric Suit made up in dainty and exclusive patterns, full blouse and full flare skirt, $1.98 instead of $2.98

At $7.98

Pure Irish Linen Suits, handsomely made and finished. The coat is 30 inches long with inverted plait strap across back. Box front collarless, in colors of blue, tan and white, real value $10.00. Special $7.98

At $3.98

Walking Skirts, worth $6.98. Prettily made, of all wool mixtures and men's wear material. The manufacturers figured on selling these at $6.98, our opening price $3.98.

At 49c

We're bound to sell Shirt Waists if we can make the price an inducement, and you have our personal guarantee that the values in every instance are even better than represented. Here's the story: at 49c a fine White Lawn Waist trimmed with embroidery, well worth 98c.

At 98c

A very fine Lawn Waist trimmed with val lace or embroidery. Duplicates of this lot have sold for $1.75. We purchased the entire line of samples from one of the largest Infants' and Children's Wear Manufacturers in the Country at from 33 per cent to 50 per cent less than regular prices. We place them on sale at 1-3 to 1-2 less than they can be bought elsewhere.

Infants and Children's Caps at 15, 25, 39 and 49c each
Infants and Children's Dresses from 49c to $4.98 each
Infants and Children's Coats, 98c, $1.49, $1.75 to $5 each

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Children's Suits

Two-piece suits, with pants re-enforced and one-half lined. Light checks and mixtures. Former price $5.00, now **$3.25**

Boys' Black Suits

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HEART PUNCTURED

WONDERFUL SURGICAL OPERATION PERFORMED.

CHICAGO, June 17.—A surgical operation, said to have been but once before successfully paralleled in surgical history, is believed to have been accomplished here, saving the life of 15-year-old Edward Feltz, who attempted to commit suicide. Feltz fired a bullet into his heart while despondent over loss of employment. With death impending at every tick of the watch, Dr. Carl Wagner of St. Joseph's hospital, placed six stitches in the bullet-torn heart, effectually stopping the hemorrhage. The patient's condition is said at the hospital to warrant the belief that he will recover. The bullet, which had pierced the lungs and passed through the heart, was found in the thoracic cavity and removed.

CRY OF "MURDER"

FALL RIVER POLICE COULD NOT FIND VICTIM.

FALL RIVER, June 17.—Several persons who claimed to be on a wharf reported to the police that they heard cries of "murder" last night from an adjoining wharf followed by a splash in the dock and the hurried flight of two men.

The police dragged the water for about four hours, but found no trace of the body. Later they learned that three men were seen going in the direction of the wharf shortly before the cries are reported to have been heard.

Everything up to date at O'Donnell's stables.

FOURTH OF JULY EXCURSION.

A grand opportunity for enjoying the holiday is to take the Boston & Maine trip to Niagara Falls at the very low rate of $16.40 for the round trip via the West Shore and $9.35 via the Delaware & Hudson and Erie. Tickets are good going on all regular trains July 1st to 3d; returning on regular trains not after July 4th.

GROWING WORSE

FRIENDS FEAR THAT PREUSSER IS INSANE.

ALBANY, N. Y., June 17.—Friends of Richard E. Preusser, under indictment for the murder of Miles E. McDonnell of Boston, who have been feeling that his mental condition might improve with the rest and quiet brought on by his incarceration at the jail, say they are beginning to fear the worst.

His actions have been decidedly strange for several days, and Drs. Schutter and Houghton have been watching the progress of his case with renewed interest. In response to a query yesterday in regard to Preusser's condition, Dr. Schutter tapped his forehead in the significant manner used to indicate that sanity had taken flight.

Preusser busied himself yesterday afternoon doing a lot of writing. When asked by his father what he had written, he said in a serious manner that he had been counting the tiny lumps of coal as they were dumped into a cellar opposite by some coal heavers. He declared he had only missed two out of the whole consignment.

Mrs. Preusser arranges his bed in the dainty manner every day, and as soon as she leaves the cell her husband piles the bedclothes in another portion of the room.

He said he felt tired yesterday and attributed it to the fact that he had been automobiling all night. He said the automobile kept going around in a circle and never stopped, but he was not afraid. Another fellow, who, he said, was riding with him for a short time, jumped out, and Preusser laughed heartily at the fellow's cowardice.

Preusser smokes cigarettes constantly.

OFFICERS ELECTED

BY ANCIENT ORDER OF UNITED WORKMEN.

CHATTANNOGA, Tenn., June 17.—In addition to considering several important executive questions yesterday the supreme lodge, Ancient Order United Workmen meeting in annual convention at Lookout Mountain elected officers for the ensuing year. The following supreme officers were chosen:

Past supreme master workman, Webb McNall, Galford, Kas.

Supreme master workman, W. M. Harris, Anacortia, Ia.

Supreme foreman, William Colvin, Jacksonville, Oregon.

Supreme recorder, W. M. Sackett, Meadville, Pa.

Supreme receiver, H. R. Dickinson, Buffalo, N. Y.

Supreme guide, L. C. Merrill, Concord, N. H.

Supreme watchman, S. B. Ritchie, Winnipeg, Man.

The uniform lodge, the woman's branch of the order, elected these officers:

Past Superior chief of honor, Mrs. Irene M. Reiks, Buffalo, N. Y.; superior chief of honor Mrs. Stella K. Webster, Belding, Mich.; superior lady of honor, Mrs. Hattie W. Brogge, Portland, Oregon; superior recorder, Mrs. Elizabeth E. Alburn, Sioux City, Ia.; superior receiver, Mrs. Emma S. Bicknell, Manchester, N. H.

O'Donnell's funeral hacks are the neatest.

ROOSEVELT CONDEMNED.

HOT SPRINGS, Ark., June 17.—After discussing for three hours the platform committee report the democratic state convention adopted the platform and adjourned.

The platform defers to that body a specific declaration of principles, upon national questions and declares:

"We condemn President Roosevelt, among other things, especially for his public and private conduct intended to stir up bitterness between the different sections of the country and to make the negro believe he is the social equal and otherwise equal of the white man."

SCHILLER ELECTROCUTED.

COLUMBUS, O., June 17.—Michael Schiller of Youngstown, O., a wife murderer was electrocuted at the Ohio penitentiary at midnight. Reports from the prison say there was a hitch in the execution and the condemned received 3 times after the electric current had been applied.

ST. LOUIS FAIR

HAS BEEN A FINANCIAL SUCCESS THE FAIR.

ST. LOUIS, June 17.—World's fair officials are very much pleased with the financial condition of the fair as indicated by the payment of the first installment on the government loan, which was made yesterday. The following statement by Secretary Stevens was made to the Associated Press last night:

"The Louisiana purchase exposition yesterday paid into the United States treasury at St. Louis $135,057.04, being the first payment on the loan of $5,000,000 made by congress. This sum was 40 per cent. of the receipts of the exposition from admissions and concessions during the first 15 days of June, that being the percentage required under the act of congress. The gross receipts paid into the exposition treasury for the 15 days was $187,642.60."

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HEIRS' SALE OF THE DUFFEE ESTATE: A FOUR-TENEMENT HOUSE AND ABOUT 2176 SQUARE FEET OF LAND, AT NO. 14 CROSS STREET.

On the above date, at the premises, regardless of the weather or conditions, we shall offer for sale our four-tenement house, to the highest bidder. The sale will be absolute, and we must be content with the price obtained.

The house comprises four small tenements of four rooms each, they are in good repair and have the best of sewerage and water services. The tenants have lived there a long time and are a class that always pay their rents promptly.

We regret very much to part with this property, as it has always rented at a steady rental of $560 a year, and we are sure it will make a grand investment to the purchaser. This is an excellent chance for some man of moderate means; where he could have his own tenement and the income of three others; it is in a fine location, being the second property on Cross street from Suffolk; it is very convenient to schools and churches, and within ten minutes' walk to many large industries. If you are looking for a solid investment, it will pay you to look this property up.

TERMS: $300 must be paid to the auctioneer as soon as the property is struck off, other terms at sale. Make all inquiries at the office of the auctioneer.

By the order of the heirs,

SARAH DUFFEE,
LOUISA DUFFEE.

Monday, June 20, at 3.30 o'clock

STORE, TENEMENT AND ABOUT 1584 SQUARE FEET OF LAND AT NOS. 470 AND 472 SUFFOLK STREET, BETWEEN MOODY AND MERRIMACK STREETS.

For reasons best known to myself, I will make positive sale by public auction, of this parcel of property situated on the westerly side of Suffolk street, within 100 feet of Merrimack street, between Russell and Lemon properties. The lot contains about 1584 square feet of land. The building contains a store with two rooms in rear and a tenement of six rooms. The location is central and for a little money expended for improvement it should be made to pay a good rental. The sale will be positive, regardless of the weather, and the terms will be $250, to be paid to the auctioneer at time and place of sale; other terms at sale. Make all inquiries at the office of the auctioneer.

By the order of

JEAN THELLEN.

THE PROPAGANDA

WILL NOT DECIDE FR. SULLIVAN'S CONTROVERSY.

ROME, June 17. According to reliable information the congregation of the propaganda has not rendered and will not render any decision regarding the long standing controversy between Bishop P. A. Ludden of the diocese of Syracuse, N. Y., and the Rev. John E. O'Sullivan of Cenullus, Onandaga county, in that state. On the occasion of the last visit to Rome of Bishop Ludden the vatican authorities approved his attitude towards Fr. O'Sullivan.

Almost 20 years ago Father O'Sullivan was tried by the state courts on a serious charge and found guilty. His case was appealed but it never came to trial again. As the result of the charge against the priest he was suspended from all ecclesiastical functions but after a lapse of ten years was reinstated by the vatican. Bishop Ludden, however, refused to give him a parish, and it was because of this refusal that the case was again brought to the attention of the congregation of the propaganda.

REV. JOHN CANNING DEAD.

EXETER, N. H., June 17. Word was received here last night of the death in Boston of Rev. Father John Canning, one of the most prominent priests in New Hampshire, and pastor of St. Michael's church here. Father Canning, who was 70 years of age, was born in Scotland. His first parish was at Machias, Me.

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5 cases of untrimmed hats in Tuscan, champagne, castor, navy and black, all beautiful shapes, worth from $1.25 to $1.98, for this sale **48c**

10 cases of white straw hats in all the best shapes for this sale **75c,** worth double the money.

5 cases of plaid hats in all the leading shapes including such as the gage hats, never sold less than $2.25 and $2.50, for this sale **75c,** all beauties.

10 cases of Tuscan hats in all beautiful shapes including the Alice Roosevelt shape, regular $1.50, $1.75, $1.98 and $2.25, for this sale **98c**

10 cases of untrimmed hats in all colors and desirable shapes, for this sale **25c,** regular 98c.

5 cases of untrimmed hats in all colors, regular 69c hats, for this sale **15c**

5 cases of children's untrimmed hats, regular 48c shapes, for this sale **15c**

3 cases of children's untrimmed hats, regular 75c and 98c, for this sale **25c and 48c**

200 children's trimmed hats suitable for the country and beach **75c, 98c, $1.25, $1.48,** all worth double the money.

100 trimmed hats for children, all beautiful, with flowers and ribbon for **$1.25,** regular $2.50 and $3.

200 trimmed hats, regular $2.50 and $3.50, for this sale **98c**

LOOK AT OUR SHOW WINDOWS

300 trimmed hats, all beauties, **$1.48, $1.98, $2.50 and $2.98.**

2 cases of outing hats for **48c,** regular $1.50.

5 cases of outing hats for **75c,** regular $1.98 and $2.25

10 cases of outing hats for **98c,** regular $2.50 and $3.50

Flowers in all colors, **10c, 15c and 25c a bunch.**

Wings in all shades, **10c, 15c, 25c, 37c and 48c.**

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THE WEATHER
The indications are that it will be fair tonight and also on Saturday. There probably will be light variable winds.

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BURYING THE DEAD

Victims of General Slocnm Disaster Laid at Rest

NEW YORK, June 17.—While the divers and others were busy looking for bodies the steamer Grand Republic, the sister ship of the General Slocum passed up the river with a party of excursionists on board. Every deck was crowded. As the vessel neared the point where the divers were working on the wrecked vessel, the police boat patrol whistled for the Grand Republic to slow down so as not to disturb divers, but according to the police no attention was paid to the warning. It was only when the Grand Republic —almost upon the divers float and the waves made by the vessel began to make the float rock and sway that the pilot seeme to realize that he should obey the signals and slowed down slightly. By the time the Great Republic was abreast of the wreck, however, all steam was put on again and the boat proceeded up the sound. The Supt. of the Lutheran cemetery said today, that about 100 applications had been made for the burial of victims of the disaster and that fresh applications were being constantly received. More than 50 of the Slocum's dead were laid at rest in the burial ground today and a far larger number will be buried there tomorrow, when it is expected the interments will go up into the hundreds. For several days a succession of burials of victims is looked for at the cemetery.

NUMBER OF VICTIMS

IS NOT DEFINITELY KNOWN AT THIS TIME.

NEW YORK, June 17.—Forty-eight hours after the burning of the steamer General Slocum, the exact number of victims is still unknown. In the early morning hours a few bodies were brought to the morgue, bringing the total up to 532. As the morning wore on with no more arrivals hope began to be felt that the awful total had been completed, but it was soon shattered by a report that divers at work on the hulk of the Slocum had discovered a mass of bodies wedged in one of the paddle-boxes. How many corpses will be proved to be in this place will not be known for some hours as they will not be disturbed until the coroner is on the scene.

One hopeful phase of the situation is the steady decrease in the number of missing, though it is still appallingly large, the number of missing being somewhere between 400 and 500. The various officials whose position brings them into touch with the disaster still adhere to the belief that when all is told, it will be found that between 900 and 1000 persons perished. The task of burying the dead began today. Early in the forenoon a meeting of German Lutheran ministers of this city was held and a program of services arranged. While in many instances a joint service will be held over the bodies, nevertheless the clergymen of this denomination have an herculian task before them in administering the last rites over the dead of their faith.

The distressing concentration of the blow of the disaster is shown by the fact that in one apartment house in 8th street, there are 35 dead, while in a Riverton house 16 bodies await burial.

Preliminary steps have been taken for three distinct investigations of the disaster. These are being undertaken by the federal authorities through the department of commerce by the coroner's office and by the district attorney. The coroner's inquest will begin on Monday next. Capt. Van Schack and six of his crew lie in a hospital with a policeman at the bedside of each. They are detained as witnesses. The authorities are rapidly gathering such evidence as will aid in ascertaining whether there was neglect or carelessness in the safety appliances of the vessel. First Officer Edward Flanagan of the Slocum is quoted as being interviewed and saying: "The steamer's fire hose was rotten and useless and it burst in a dozen places when I and my men tried to use it." The charge is also made that the life preservers on the boat were old and rotten and in most instances proved inadequate when used.

Several papers today print pictures of the preservers taken from the Slocum which bear in black letters this inscription: "Passed by U. S. steamboat inspector, June 18, 1891."

William Thembley, a deck hand, corroborates Flanagan's statement regarding the defective fire hose and it is reported that evidence has been secured showing that some of the life boats were made fast by wires, making it impossible for them to be cast loose and lowered. All the men who have made these statements will be called as witnesses by the coroner. Police boats and other harbor craft still maintain their patrol of the waters of the East river, in the vicinity of the accident in the hope of recovering bodies.

SECRETARY CORTELYOU

WILL MAKE PERSONAL INVESTIGATION OF DISASTER.

NEW YORK, June 17.—Secretary Cortelyou in an interview today said: "As secretary of the department of commerce and labor, I am the head of the federal inquiry into this affair and I propose to give it my personal and insofar as possible, my undivided attention, until the matter is finally settled.

"As soon as practicable the board of inspectors will get together and take testimony. This inquiry will be separate and distinct from any proceedings brought by city, state or county officials.

"I want to correct an impression that seems to have gone abroad that this investigation will be left to subordinates in the department. This is absolutely untrue. I will hold the inquiry myself and will have ample assistance from the most prominent and efficient men in the department. Every one who can throw the least light upon the matter will be brought before the board and taking of testimony will continue so long as any one can be found who can aid us in arriving at a correct estimate of the facts."

Mr. Cortelyou said that if it was found to be true that employes of the government have been criminally negligent in their inspection in New York harbor the public can rest assured that no one will be shielded but the blame will be placed where it properly belongs. "I want it thoroughly understood," continued Mr. Cortelyou, "that the federal authorities will protect no one; but until it is demonstrated that some one has been lacking in his duty, or worse, I stand back of every one. Until we have an opportunity of making an investigation I ask that the public will suspend judgment. I promise to do all I personally can do."

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PAID THE BET

AMASA PRATT FURNISHED FINE ENTERTAINMENT.

A royal entertainment and a man of his word was the verdict of a party of friends entertained by Mr. Amasa Pratt Thursday afternoon and evening. It will be known that Mr. Pratt is a director of the Union National bank and not giving to betting, but ther came a time, when his enthusiasm got a bit the better of him and unfortunately for him he said he would wager someoody thus and so. He was on the losing side and, to be honest about it, the bet should have been paid a long time ago. Mr. Pratt, however, is a very busy man and he has to plan very shrewdly to find an hour for pleasure. He made up his mind, that come what would, he'd pay that debt and he paid it—yea and with compound interest. It was to his associates in the bank that he was indebted and he made his plans for Thursday afternoon. He engaged a special car and exactly at 3.30 o'clock in the afternoon Mr. P. E. Sullivan, who is not only general manager of the Boston & Northern street railway but also one of the directors of the bank drew up at the bank door with the special car.

When the count was made it was found that the full complement of directors were on hand and the host shouted "all aboard for Boston." To say that the trip to Boston was enjoyed is putting it rather mildly. The men who rarely indulge in such outings had a great big time and upon arriving in Boston Mr. Pratt led the way to Young's hotel where his guests were dined and entertained. There was nothing missing. Boston's best markets had been canvassed and the best they had to offer was procured for the occasion, and before the party started for home it was voted that Mr. Pratt was a host in every sense of the word and that he had paid his debt with interest.

HARVARD MAN WON.

HARTFORD, Conn., June 17.—Beals Wright of Harvard won the finals in singles in the New England tennis championship tournament on the courts of the Hartford club today.

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OPPOSITE CITY HALL.

IN POLICE COURT

Boys Who Stole Pocket-Knife

MADE TOO MANY TRIPS TO HARDWARE STORE

Two Young Girls Devoid of Shame

FLIRTED WITH FRIENDS IN THE GALLERY

They Were Leading Idle and Vicious Lives

Michael Mitchell, 14, and George L. Wayne, 15, were in police court today charged with the larceny of a pocket knife. Their cases were continued to next Friday. Lawyer McClure appeared for the Mitchell boy and told the court that he would be able to secure bail for his youthful client. It was only yesterday, Mr. McClure said, that the Mitchell boy's brother was buried. The boys went into Napoleon D. Lafluer's hardware store in East Merrimack street yesterday and while one engaged the attention of the clerk the other made love to a pretty pearl handled knife. The boys made two visits to the store. It was during the first visit that the Mitchell boy took the knife and when he showed it to Wayne outside the latter suggested a second visit. They went back and the Wayne boy again engaged the clerk in conversation. The Mitchell boy, in his anxiety to "rabbage" another knife, dropped the one he had and the clerk took a stroll wiseward. Half an hour later the boys were at the police station.

SEEMED TO ENJOY IT.

Grace Grolette, 15, and Rosanna Belanger, 16, were charged with leading idle and vicious lives. As a general rule the young girl who is assigned to a seat on the prisoner's bench in the police court either cries or in some way appears penitent. But not so with the girls of this story. They laughed all through the session and before court opened they were winking and throwing kisses at their friends in the gallery. Both girls seemed to be bereft of all sense of shame and the stories they told the police of their lives during the last few weeks was as disgusting as it was sad. They slept in empty buildings and associated with men of as many different nationalities as they happened to meet in this cosmopolitan city. The girls were scantily clad when arrested by Officer Frank Fox in upper Moody street yesterday and they told him they had been without proper food for several days. The Grolette girl was continued to Friday and the Belanger girl, by request of her mother, was sent to the house of the Good Shepherd in Boston.

NO CHARGE AGAINST THEM.

James F. Gibbons, 15, and John F. Gibbons, 17, were arrested by inspectors Lafiamme and Maher yesterday for the alleged larceny of a bicycle from a house in Tilden street. Today the boys were allowed to go as the charge against them was not pressed.

FOR DRUNKENNESS.

William H. Higson was placed on probation. Seven first offenders were fined $2 each and one was released.

FRENCHMAN WON

Bennett Cup Goes Back to France

SAALSBURG, June 17.—France recaptured the James-Gordon Bennett cup today, her champion automobile driver, they having defeated the German, Jenatz, holder of the trophy. Thery's total time was 5 hours, 50 minutes and 3 seconds and Jenatzy's was 6 hours, one mine and twenty-one seconds. Jenatzy arrived at the winning post first but his actual running time was 11 minutes and 18 seconds longer than that of the Frenchman.

PROHIBITION CONVENTION.

BOSTON, June 17.—Delegates representing the prohibition party of the state assembled in Lorriner hall, Tremont temple, today for the purpose of placing in candidates for presidential electors at large, one candidate for presidential elector from each of the 14 congressional districts and a candidate for governor and other state officers. The call for the convention which was read by Secretary W. D. Moon, requested the delegates to select 35 delegates and 35 alternates to the national convention of the body to be held at Indianapolis, Ind., on June 29. The delegates were called to order by Chairman J. B. Lewis, Jr., of the state committee.

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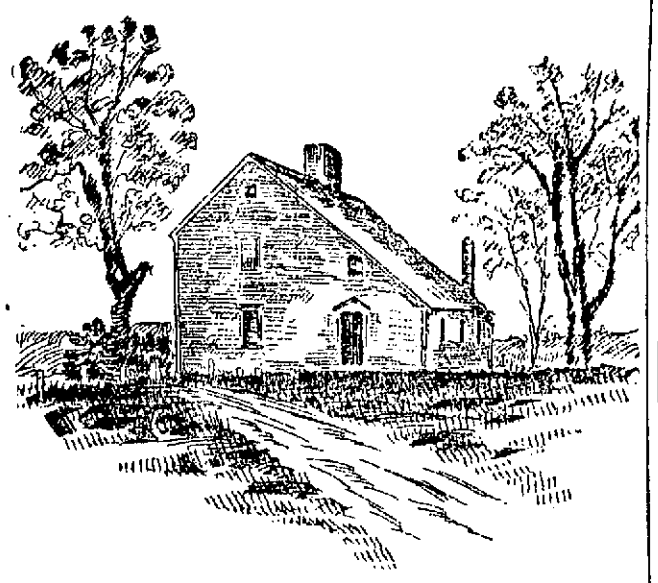

THE MANNING MANSE AT NORTH BILLERICA 210 YEARS OLD.

MANNING FAMILY

Held Fifth Annual Reunion at Billerica

The fifth annual reunion of the Manning family was held today at the old Manning Manse in Billerica, a good representation of the kinsman of this great American family being in attendance, renewing old acquaintances, rehearsing the joys and sorrows of the past year and enjoying the pleasures of an outing at the old homestead. A dinner was served at noon after which there were speeches by prominent members of the family association. Late in the day officers were elected.

On Tuesday, Aug. 16, during the G. A. R. encampment week in Boston, there will be a grand national reunion of the family at the old Manse and already a great number have notified the secretary, Warren H. Manning, who resides at the Manse, of their intention of attending.

The old homestead, which is located on the Boston road in Billerica, about eight minutes' walk from the cars, at the point where they leave the Boston road to turn into North Billerica. It was erected in 1696 by Samuel Manning (grandson of William Manning of Cambridge, the Puritan father) and occupied by his descendants for nearly 200 years, is now held by the Manning association, which was in corporated by special act of the Massachusetts legislature in 1901.

The old home contains a large and valuable collection of family mementoes, relics and records to which additions are constantly being made. Warren H. Manning of Boston, with his family, have been at the house for some time past and had everything in readiness for the reunion.

About one hundred attended the reunion, and the following officers were elected: President, Sam. W. Manning, West Newton, Mass.; vice president, Prentice C. Manning, Portland, Me.; treasurer, Frank Manning Short, Lowell, Mass.; historian, William H. Manning, Ayer, Mass.; secretary and custodian, Warren H. Manning, Manning Manse, North Billerica, Mass.

The song for Manning reunion, written especially for the occasion, was sung to the tune of Auld Lang Syne.

GENERAL BOBRIKOFF IS DEAD

HELSINGFORS, FINLAND, JUNE 17.—GENERAL BOBRIKOFF, GOVERNOR-GENERAL OF FINLAND, WHO WAS SHOT YESTERDAY MORNING AT THE ENTRANCE TO THE SENATE, DIED AT 1 O'CLOCK THIS MORNING. THE PEOPLE ARE CALM AND THERE IS NO EXCITEMENT.

REAL ESTATE SALES

FOR THE WEEK ENDING JUNE 17, 1904.

LOWELL.

Mathew Hunley to William Manning, land on Broadway, $1.

Nathaniel Peabody to Marie Louise Desmarais, land with buildings on Cumberland Road, $1.

George H. Gage to Pierre Brunelle, land on Riverside street, $1.

Mary E. Cox administratrix to Margaret Flaherty, Mary A. Connolley estate Fulton st., $500.

William F. Copson etux. to Amos F. Hill etal, land with buildings on Ames Place, $1.

Francis E. and Richard W. Shaw to Nellie McGlinchey, land with buildings on Chapel st., $1125.

Catherine Delaney to Patrick Gilbride, land with buildings on Market st., $1.

Alice M. Donovan to Ernest E. Shelters, land with buildings on Stevens st., $1.

Lowell Institution to Chas. F. Varnum, the E. N. Wood estate Wannalancit st., $7000.

Charles F. Var num to Katherine F. O'Donnell, land with buildings on Wannalancit st., $1.

Charles W. Mevis to John M. Dunfy, land on Moody st., $1.

Marion M. Barrows to Martin O'Sullivan, land with buildings on Fletcher st., $1.

Lowell Inst. for Savings to Harry W. J. Howe, the Henry A. Coburn estate Stevens st., $4500.

Rosers Hall to Hannah Stauss, land on Marlborough st., $1.

Thos. F. Coleman, administrator to Mary Britwell land with buildings on Whipple st., $1625.

Simeon Lagasse to Charles Dalphond etal, land with buildings on Cumberland Road, $1.

Charles I. Hood to Chas. F. Deline, land with buildings on Bowdon st., $1.

Katherine Tucke etal to Georgie Rabeour, land on Bridge st., $1.

DRACUT.

Adelaide S. Webster to Alfred Sharpe, land with buildings, $500.

Bessie C. Cummings to Dorothy Pratt, land with buildings at Lakeview Terrace, $1.

TYNGSBOROUGH.

Paul Poyette to Sarah A. Swanwick, land with buildings, $1.

Sarah A. Swanwick to Margaret O'Brien land with buildings, $1.

DUNSTABLE.

Sarah R. Roby etal to Charles H. Dickenson, lot of land on Salmon Brook, $1.

Fred W. Parkhurst to John F. Fletcher, land with buildings on Pleasant st., $1.

Fred W. Lovejoy etal to Frank H. Ward, the Joseph Frossard Farm, $1.

TEWKSBURY.

Jacob W. Wilbur to Wm. E. Davenport, land at Wamesit Terrace, $1.

Chas I. Hood to William J. Hardy, land with buildings on Andover st., $1.

WILMINGTON.

Lawrence C. Swain to Chas. B. Osborn, land with buildings on Middlesex avenue, $1.

John W. Scott to Trustee of City Library 13 acres of land, John Davis estate $1.

CHELMSFORD.

Joseph Brouillet to Michael J. Garrity, land with buildings, North Chelmsford, $1.

Women's high grade suits selling this week at $10.00—were $18.50, $20, $25—at the Merrimack—across from City hall.

SERIOUS BLAZE

FIRE IN HOUSE AND BARN ON WALKER STREET.

The fire for which a second alarm was sounded about the time of going to press with this edition, started in Mr. Philbrick's barn on Dover street and spread to the residence of Mr. Nelson close by.

The blaze was a furious one and the second alarm was necessary to prevent a serious conflagration.

LADIES—

If isn't often you get such a chance to save on high grade suits as is offered this week at the Merrimack in their women's dept—they're selling their $18.50, $20 and $25 suits at $10. See them in their window.

The merchant who would try to sell a pair of shoes without opening the box in which they came from the factory, would be regarded as a fraud and a trickster, and the newspaper which denies to the advertiser all the information he desires in reference to its circulation, must not expect the confidence of its patrons.

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50c and 75c. Waists, 38c. $1.00 White Lawn 50c
$1.25 and $1.50 White Lawn 78c.

All other goods selling at prices in same proportion.

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EXTRA

FLEETS HAVE MET

Naval Battle Believed to be in Progress

TOKIO, JUNE 17—3.30 P.M.—A REPORT HAS BEEN RECEIVED FROM THE POLICE STATION AT SAGA, NEAR SASEBO, SAYING THAT SOUNDS OF CANNONADING HAVE BEEN HEARD OFF THE COAST. IT IS POSSIBLE THAT A JAPANESE FLEET HAS MET THE RUSSIANS.

SAILING OF SHIPS HAS BEEN POSTPONED

SHANGHAI, June 17.—As a result of the sinking of Japanese transports by the Russian Vladivostok squadron the sailings of Japanese steamships for Shanghai have been postponed indefinitely.

TRANSPORT SADO REPORTED SAFE

TOKIO, June 17—4 p. m.—The steamer Ize has arrived at Kokura, carrying more of the crew and troops from the transport Sado. The Sado is safe and is being towed into port by the Higo.

RUSSIAN ARMS ENJOYING REST

ST. PETERSBURG, June 17—6.20 p. m.—Gen. Stakelberg telegraphs from Vantisin that his army is resting there. His casualties have not yet been definitely ascertained. Gen. Nodsu's army is resting at Vafangow and is not expected to advance for a couple of days.

The advance of Gen. Kuroki's forces beyond Siuyen to cut off Stakelberg troops is not causing apprehension. The correspondent of the Associated Press is informed on good authority that a strong Russian force has been concentrated between Kai Chou and Hai Cheng to cover Stakelberg's retreat.

TRANSPORT KATSUNO WENT TO BOTTOM

NAGASAKI, June 17—10 a. m.—The transport Katsuno on entering Moji last night fouled the Yamatokan. The former sank.

The transport Sado, damaged by Russian shells, is ashore at Okino Island. The steamer Hino has proceeded from Moji to assist the Sado.

STAFF CORRESPONDENT WAS PLACED IN PRISON

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., June 17—A cablegram to the Indianapolis News from Stanley Washburn, special correspondent of the Chicago News at Chefoo says that Hector Fuller, staff war correspondent of the Indianapolis News has been captured by four Russian soldiers and taken to Port Arthur. He was blindfolded and placed in prison. The state department at Washington was notified Wednesday last that Mr. Fuller who started from Chefoo in an open boat with two Chinese oarsmen for Port Arthur had landed in the vicinity of the latter city about June 12.

About Butter

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Finest Cream Cheese.....13c lb,
Granulated Sugar....100-lb. bag, $5.10
Yerxa's Best Flour, 80c bag, $6.25 bbl.

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15c AND 20c DOZEN.

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STERN FIGHTING AT VAFANGOW

LIAO YANG, June 17.—A correspondent of the Associated Press who was present at the battle of Vafangow describes the fighting as follows: "The stern, dogged fighting at the battle of Vafangow was like another Borodino. The roar of the machine guns and the boom of cannon still ring in one's ears. Throughout the three days of combat the officers and men stood with each in pluck and valor.

"The enemy's advance originally included the fifth, eighth and 11th divisions, 12 squadrons of cavalry and splendid artillery. About 200 guns were belching a continuous stream of shot and shell. Large reinforcements enabled them to turn the Russian flanks. A diversion on the right precipitated the battle in the morning of June 15.

"Major General Gergonross, who was wounded, commanded the left flank and General Loutchkovsky commanded the centre, including four battalions concealed in a small wood, whence they dealt death and destruction on the enemy.

"The Russian right was protected by Cossacks, dragoons and Siberian rifles. While the big guns were thundering, I made my way at about 11 a. m., to the Russians' right flank and climbed a hill whence I could view the whole field of battle. Behind me a battery had taken up a position from which it kept up a continuous fire upon the advancing ranks of the enemy. Through glasses I could see the sandy valley of the Tasan, with the Chinese village of Fafan, the heights of Foo Chow, the railroad bridge and the surrounding copses were occupied by Japanese infantry. Then black lines of infantry like threads could be seen creeping through the verdure. Nearer the slope of a hill was dotted by the grey shirts of the Russian riflemen. A brownish smoke overhung some of the batteries and others showed flashes of flame. The crackle of rifle fire was punctuated by the roar of guns. Occasionally I heard the hiss of a Japanese bullet.

"The scene was awe inspiring. Over the Russian centre and left flank hovered clouds from bursting schrapnel. I saw reserves hurrying forward, the Cossacks galloping, followed by columns of infantry at the double. Suddenly they disappeared in an adjacent defile.

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LOWELL VISITORS

William Raygan, Frank Cox, William H. Brown and P. B. McHugh of this city attended the convention of the New England Allied Printing Trades in Boston. These gentlemen have returned and report a most enjoyable and successful event. The delegates were entertained under the auspices of the Allied Printing Trades of Boston, and the visitors were given a great big time.

After the adjournment of the convention on Tuesday the delegates, to the number of thirty-one, were taken to Rowe's wharf where a tug boat was waiting to take them on a trip down the harbor. The visitors were landed at Deer island, where they became, for a time, the guests of the city of Boston. They were served a sumptuous buffet lunch at the conclusion of which the gentlemen came under the guidance of L. B. Perkins, who for eighteen years, has been an official connected with the reformatory institutions of Deer Island.

The visitors were shown over the island, on which there were 1500 prisoners. There are accommodations for 1800, and the prisoners are kept in discipline by 110 employes. The island cultivates about 200 acres, on which is grown all the vegetables used by the institution, except potatoes. One of the sights on the island is the "piggery," where 1000 porkers, old and young, have their beig. The delegates found in Mr. Perkins a most affable gentleman, and one who possessed a mine of information, and who was not backward in answering all questions.

The prison for women at the island is undergoing some improvements and one of the delegates, anxious to see all there was to be seen as he did not contemplate a longer sojourn at the island in the near future, fiddled-faddled with a lock on one of the doors which opened, suddenly, and as quickly closed behind him. The door was locked then, for sure, and nobody seemed to know anything about the key. Officers looked high and low and after searching for more than half an hour a skeleton was resurrected and the delegate was released. His collar was wilted and his comrades said, in all sincerity, that the man aged a year during his half hour in prison.

On Tuesday, the visitors were taken on one of the touring cars to visit the historical spots and beautiful places in the city. They were accompanied by "a lecturer," who pointed out and explained all the interesting matters. At 6.30 o'clock the delegates sat down to a banquet tendered by the different Boston unions. This was followed by an entertainment and interesting speeches by members of the craft.

6 O'CLOCK

MANY NEW NAMES

Are Piling on Assessors' Books

The assistant assessors are still at work on their books and they report that they find an unusual number of new names in all parts of the city.

This means a lot of work at registration for the candidates for political office this fall.

The assessors are of the opinion that aside from the many new residents coming into Lowell every day that all the old ones who went away during the strike are returning.

POLICE BOARD

DETERMINED TO STOP DRINKING BY WOMEN.

BOSTON, June 17.—The police commissioners adhere to their original request to the saloonkeepers not to sell intoxicants to women, to be drunk on the premises, in a note sent out yesterday through the liquor men's association, and it also refuses to interfere, as requested, in the matter of free hot lunches, trading stamps and rebate checks; holding that these are incidentals to trade and not considered under the law.

The matter of selling liquor to women is not considered in any statute and the ruling is merely the wish of the board. However, William J. Miller, president of the Massachusetts Wine and Spirits Dealers' association, said last night: "Why, of course the liquor dealers of Boston will obey the request of the board."

Judge Emmons said that while the board could not revoke the license of a dealer who persists in selling to women, he would predict what might happen when the license expires.

Judge Emmons stated that no further notice will be given the saloon men in these matters.

In the cases of bona-fide cafes, restaurants, palm gardens and hotel dining rooms, the request will be withheld and women will be allowed to enjoy the drinking privileges in them if the captain of the division reports favorably upon the matter, but it is to be understood that the board will not be materially influenced in its final decisions in such cases by the reports of the captains of the divisions.

BUILDING NOTES

AN ADDITION TO BE BUILT TO TEWKSBURY NOVITIATE.

A new addition is to be built on the novitiate at Tewksbury Centre, the work of excavating having commenced the day before yesterday. The new building will be known as the Settlement House and will be of brick and two stories high, it being connected with the main building. It will include a laundry, workshop, dormitories, etc. The plans were drawn by Architect Millard F. Davis, and Pascal Harnois will do the carpenter work. Contractor Berard will have the brick work in charge. Rev. Fr. J. A. Sirois, O. M. I., will have general charge of the building of the addition.

Contractor C. A. Morton is going to change over the Cooper estate at 173 School street, making it into a two-apartment house. The changes will be made on the inside of the building and the cost will be about $400.

CRUISER ALBANY ARRIVES.

SEATTLE, Wash., June 17.—The United States cruiser Albany from Cavite, P. I., May 6, has arrived at Bremerton. She stopped at Guam and Honolulu. En route from Guam the Albany passed Wake Island, where the American flag still flies. The Albany reports no signs of life on the island.

A LONG VOYAGE.

CHICAGO, June 17.—The little gasolene yacht, Palmotto, from New York, has arrived at Chicago from New Orleans having on board the owner and a party of friends bent on circumnavigating the Eastern half of the U. S. The craft left New York more than a month ago, proceeding south by way of the Atlantic ocean and Gulf of Mexico. The cruise will continue by way of the lakes and St. Lawrence and eventually to New York, making what is believed to be the longest voyage ever attempted by a craft of its size.

DEATHS

STANLEY—George Stanley, infant son of George L. and Grace L. Pierce of Boston, died yesterday morning at 81 Worthen street, where its parents were visiting relatives.

SHEA—James W. Shea, aged 25 years, a well known young man of this city, died at St. Johns hospital yesterday. Deceased was a member of Company F, 1st N. H. Vol. and was also a Spanish War veteran. Mr. Shea is survived by a wife and two children. The body was removed to his residence, 11 Lagrange street by Undertakers O'Donnell & Sons.

FAY—Michael J. Fay, aged 37 years, the well known leather merchant, died this morning at his home, 167 Jewett street. The deceased is survived by a wife and mother.

MAGUIRE—Catherine Maguire, an old and highly respected resident of this city passed away last night at her late home, 97 Christian street. The deceased was well known especially by the older residents of Christian Hill and was a devout and constant attendant at St. Michael's church. She was 74 years of age and leaves to mourn her loss a husband, Michael and a family.

Get Rid of Scrofula

Bunches, eruptions, inflammations, soreness of the eyelids and ears, diseases of the bones, rickets, dyspepsia, catarrh, wasting, are only some of the troubles it causes.

It is a very active evil, making havoc of the whole system.

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Eradicates it, cures all its manifestations, and builds up the whole system.

Accept no substitute.

THE DAVIS FUND

Mayor Wants it Invested Without Delay

Mayor Howe today called a meeting of the finance committee for next Tuesday and His Honor instructed the city messenger to inform the members of the committee that the meeting will be an important one as the committee will then decide how the Davis fund is to invested. Mayor Howe will sign the deeds tomorrow and he wants to get the money invested as soon as possible as it is now lying idle and not earning any money.

FOUGHT BURGLAR

LYNN GIRL SHOWED SHE HAD GRIT.

LYNN, June 17.—Miss Gertrude French, a slight, frail girl of only 15, a High School pupil, exhibited great courage in repelling a burglar in her house, 84 Johnson street, last night, and has today been showered with praise for her pluck.

Miss French told a reporter about her struggle with the invader.

"There was only grandma and I in the house," said she. "We live here alone together, you know, and about 11.30, after we had gone to bed, I woke up with an idea that someone was in the house.

"I ran into grandma's room and woke her up, but she didn't believe anyone was in the house. She thought I'd just been scared by a dream.

"Grandma is 70 years old, and I had to protect her if anyone was in the house, so I ran to the kitchen. Another noise came; it was from the pantry.

"I ran back to grandma's room and told her, and when we went into the kitchen again the pantry door was open. I went toward it and saw a man there. He had seen me there and came forward. I got to the pantry door and slammed it to, how, I really don't know; I only knew I had to.

"Then I ran to the window, threw it open and screamed for help.

"It happened that the policeman was standing in front of the house next to ours and he came running. The man was in the pantry all this while, with grandma holding the door.

"Suddenly he burst it open and started toward us. I caught hold of him and hindered him so that he couldn't get out that way.

"He threw me off and ran to the pantry. The window was open where he had come in, and he tumbled out just as the policeman came in the door.

"It all happened so rapidly that I really couldn't describe him. He was a big man, I am sure of that, and of course he looked dark, because we had no light in the room.

"Yes, it did scare me, really. If I had had time to think I never could have done it, but all I thought of was that it had to be done, so I just went ahead and did it."

SMALL DROWNED

HE WAS STRICKEN WITH HEART DISEASE.

PORTLAND, Me., June 17—Daniel F. Small, aged 65 of West Falmouth, proprietor of the West Falmouth manufacturing company was drowned today in the Piscataqua river. While examining a bad leak in the dam he was stricken with heart disease, with which he had been troubled, and fell into the river. He was town treasurer and clerk for many years.

FUNERALS

CHOUINARD—The funeral of Ovide Y. Chouinard, who committed suicide Tuesday night, took place yesterday afternoon from his home, 10 Alder street. Burial was in the Edson cemetery, and Rev. F. G. A. Cole officiated at the grave. Undertaker Amedee Archambault had charge.

MULLANEY—The funeral of the late Joseph A. Mullaney took place this morning at 8.30 o'clock from his late home, 55 Worthen street, and was largely attended by relatives and friends of the deceased. A high mass of requiem was held at St. Patrick's church at nine o'clock by Rev. James A. Walsh and the choir sang the Gregorian mass. There was a profusion of beautiful and appropriate floral offerings in evidence, showing the esteem in which the deceased was held by his many friends and acquaintances. The bearers were Messrs. Patrick J. and Frank Meehan, Frank Sullivan, Daniel Coughlin, Michael H. Hoar and James McDermott. The ushers at the house and church were John J. and Owen Mullaney, John F. Meehan and James T. Lynch. The interment was in the Catholic cemetery where the committal prayers were read by Rev. Fr. Walsh. The funeral was under the direction of Funeral Director Peter Davey.

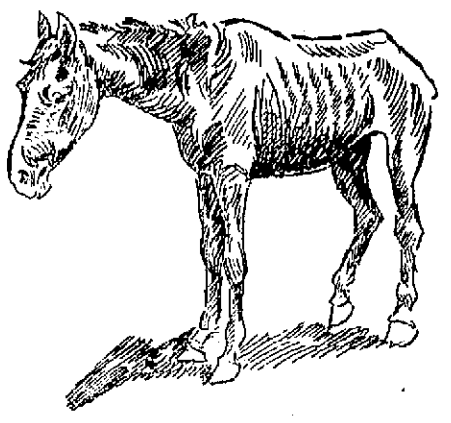
$12,200,000

MADE BY FRENCH TO MOROCCAN GOVERNMENT.

PARIS, June 17.—The foreign office has been informed of the final closing of the French loan of $12,500,000 to Morocco. The loan is secured by Morocco's custom house. This is the first step in France's taking up the reorganization of Morocco's administration. The loan probably will exert a salutary influence on the Moroccan government and induce the latter to meet France's urgent request for the release of Raisuli's prisoners. Official advices say that Raisuli's definite reply is expected toward the end of the week.

Those who are interested in a beautiful show of peonies will get all they desire by calling at McMannon's Nurseries in Kenwood at this time, as there are hundreds of these blooms to be inspected. And as for hardy roses; they are the greatest sight you could imagine. Mr. McMannon says that there are several new and valuable additions to the peony family, and there is no garden but can afford space for these new additions which have been introduced within the past few years. The grounds are open to the public for inspection. Persons desirous of having such shrubs would do well to see them in bloom before purchasing. Now would be a good time to make a selection.

Women's high grade suits selling this week at $10.00 were $18.50, $20, $25—at the Merrimack—across from City hall.



SKETCH OF THE ABUSED ANIMAL.

HAD TO SHOOT HIM

Man's Cruelty to a Poor Old Horse

Tottering in all four limbs, the outline of every rib plainly visible, his shoulders galled and his flesh diseased, a poor old horse standing near the side of the road in North Chelmsford, attached to the remnant of an old-fashioned wagon, attracted the attention of, and appealed to, the sympathy of the good people of the village and they reported the case to Constable Wotton and he notified Agent Richardson of the Humane society.

Genero Moro, the owner of the horse, that years had robbed of his teeth and man abused, was in police court today charged with having in his possession June 14, a horse unfit for labor, suffering from galled shoulders and feebleness. He was found guilty and was fined $4.

Moro keeps a boarding house in Westford and in company with another Italian who escaped before Constable Wotton appeared on the scene, drove from Westford to North Chelmsford last Tuesday.

Moro was arrested on a warrant sworn out by Agent Richardson of the Humane society and the latter was disposed to be lenient with Moro because of the fact that the man is very poor and was made to believe by the other Italian that the horse was fit for work and that he would improve as time went on. The horse was purchased at an auction sale in Boston for the sum of $12.

As soon as Moro was spoken to by Agent Richardson about the horse he said he was willing to do whatever the agent might suggest and Mr. Richardson notified Constable Wotton to shoot the animal. The photograph which appears here was taken by Agent Richardson.

Moro was very penitent in police court today and held his head down while Judge Pickman reprimanded him for his cruelty. In reply to questions by Agent Richardson, Moro said he did not know that the horse's teeth were gone. He said the other fellow told him the horse would be all right as soon as he was given a chance to rest and eat grass. Agent Richardson gave as his opinion that the horse was at least 25 years old.

SCHOOL CLOSES

Graduation Exercises of St. Michael's School

The closing exercises of St. Michael's parochial school were held in the basement of St. Michael's church last evening, and eight students, two girls and six boys, received diplomas. There was a large attendance of parents and friends of the children, students and former graduates. Owing to the fact that recently the hall in the upper floor of the school had to be turned into class rooms on account of the increased attendance the exercises were held in the church basement, where an improvised platform had been erected.

The platform was tastefully decorated with national colors, potted palms and other greenery, while in the centre of the stage was a fine picture of Rev. John J. Shaw, pastor of the church, draped in the national colors. A fine entertainment was carried out by the students of the school, and from the applause given it was evident that the people present were well satisfied with the work of the children. The latter showed that they had been the recipients of careful and painstaking instruction by the sisters of the Dominican Order who preside over the school.

Among the distinguished people present were Rev. Louis A. Walsh, supervisor of the parochial schools of the archdiocese of Boston, Rev. Charles Sullivan, of Collinsville, who was recently ordained and Rev. John J. Shaw pastor, Rev. Eugene A. Carney, Rev. Francis Mullin and Rev. Denis Murphy of St. Michael's church and the sisters of the school.

Rev. Fr. Walsh, during the course of the entertainment, delivered a short address to the pupils, the graduates, and the fathers and mothers of the parish. He spoke of the fine manner in which St. Michael's parochial school was conducted under the guidance of the good sisters, who interested themselves in the welfare of the children whether in or out of school. He referred to the fine work of the pupils who took part in the entertainment and spoke generally of the high standar of the parochial schools of the city. In closing he spoke words of advice to the graduates and also the pupils.

Rev. Fr Shaw presented the diplomas to the eight graduates who were as follows: Misses M. McDonough and Ellen Christian and James and Edward Murphy, Francis Reed, Thomas Nugent, Bernard Hurley and Thomas O'Brien. The reverend gentleman congratulated the students on the work they had performed since they entered the school and wished them success in their future walks, whether they be toward a further education or in the list of toilers.

The following program was carried out.

Greeting to Our Pastor,	Minims
"When Our Country Calls"	Chorus
2nd and 3rd Grade Boys.	
"All Aboard,"	Operetta in 1 Act
8th and 9th Grade Boys.	
"Music and Song"	Vocal Duo
M. McDonough and M. Chisholm.	
Recitation	"Rescued"
Mary Sorensen.	
"My Sunny Southern Home,"	Chorus
Essay. Ellen Christian.	
"Village Minstrels"	Chorus
5th and 6th Grade Boys.	
Recitation	"Vision of St. Dominic."
Rose McDonough.	
Little Mothers	Chorus
2nd and 3rd Grade Girls.	
When Papa Comes Home	Vocal Duo
Edward and Gertrude Reardon.	
Declamation	"When Jack Died."
Thomas Hunt.	
Uncle Sam's Drum Boys	Chorus
4th Grade Boys.	
"Lead Kindly Light"	Pantomine
5th and 8th Grade Girls.	
Declamation	"Vision of Sir Launfal."
Valentine Tristan.	
Topsy Turvy Song	Boys' Chorus
"Little Washerwomen"	Chorus
4th Grade Girls.	
"Mother's Way"	School Chorus
Parting Chorus	7th, 8th and 9th Grades

Addresses by Pastor and Clergy.

Miss K. Mipahan, accompanist.

STRUCK BY ENGINE

RALPH CURRIER CAME NEAR BEING KILLED.

LYNN, June 17.—Ralph Winfield Currier, winner of the Phillips scholarship at Tufts college last week, had a narrow escape from being killed at the Market street crossing of the Boston & Maine railroad at 3.10 yesterday afternoon, and is now in the Lynn hospital with a broken leg and possible internal injuries.

Currier was in the act of crossing in front of a train coming from Boston, although the gates were down, and the locomotive struck him, throwing him some distance. The police ambulance was called and he was taken to the hospital.

Currier lives with his parents at 23 Blaney street, Swampscott.

This is boys' week at the Merrimack. Special values today and tomorrow—across from City hall.

READY TO FIGHT

EMPLOYERS TO CONTEST WITH TEAMSTERS' UNION.

CHICAGO, June 17.—The employers' association of Chicago has set May 1, 1905, as the date for a general contest with the teamsters' union. A resolution carrying this decision, recently passed by the executive board has just been made public. The organization in the meantime will prepare for the struggle. Ever since the association was formed this labor organization has been its chief stumbling block. Owing to their strategic position, the drivers have been able to force "closed shop" agreements in almost every capacity. They also have had repeated wage increases.

THEY FAVOR PARKER.

DURANT, I. T., June 17—The democratic convention last night completed the national delegation by selecting W. C. Rogers, T. L. Wade, C. A. Skeen and Robert Reed. The delegates are uninstructed but favor Judge Parker.

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OF THE CENTURY

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One Well Known Price **$15**

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Come In and Examine. Fit Guaranteed or Money Refunded

THE GLASGOW TAILORS

19 Merrimack Square

TRAIN ROBBERS

Held up a Northern Pacific Train

THEY DYNAMITED THE EXPRESS CAR

Robbers Believed to be Railroad Men

BEAR MOUTH, Mont., June 17.—Two masked men held up the North coast limited Northern Pacific passenger train, east bound, at about a mile and a half east of this station during the night. As they were bringing the train to a stop they dynamited the express car, blew open the safe, and secured all of its contents. The amount secured is not known, but it is believed to be large. After blowing out the rear lights of the train, the two men disappeared.

The hold-up was similar to the one which occurred two years ago at nearly the same spot and in which Engineer O'Neil lost his life. The robbers boarded the tender of the engine at the Bear Mouth water-tank. After having remained quiet until the train had gone one mile and a half, they crawled up over the coal, covered Engineer Wade and Fireman Reed with their guns. The train was stopped and the engineer and fireman were marched back to the express car. The express messenger was commanded to open the door but refused. The engineer was then compelled to light a stick of dynamite placed against the car. The explosion completely wrecked the door and the engineer and fireman were compelled to precede the robbers into the car.

When admission was gained the robbers at once directed their attention to the strong box. Five sticks of dynamite were placed on top of the safe and ignited, but the force of the charge was insufficient and another one with a larger cap was used.

The second charge blew out the side of the car and threw the safe forty feet. After rifling the safe of its valuables, the robbers commanded the train crew to remain on the train and no harm would be done them. While this was going one one the robbers accidentally struck the engineer with his revolver and in apologizing called him by name, indicating a possibility that the robbers may be railroad men.

The crew was escorted back to the engine, the robbers extinguished the signal lights on the last car and disappeared in the darkness. Meanwhile the passengers were terror stricken and had crawled under everything that offered a hiding place. The rear brakeman meantime had run back to Bear Mouth where communication was had with Missoula. A posse was summoned and Supt. Thalmers' private car was soon on its way to the scene. Bloodhounds at Deer Lodge prison have been wired for. Four men are supposed to have composed the band.

BATTLE WITH ROBBERS.

BUTTE, Mont., June 17.—Many shots have been heard in the direction of Bear Mouth and it is believed that a battle has occurred with the Northern Pacific train robbers.

PERSONALS

Misses Rosa and Marie Ange Lebrun, daughters of ex-Councilman Louis Lebrun, are visiting in Chazy, N. Y., for the summer, the guests of their uncle, Mr. Fred Willford.

Miss Ida Marie Rogers sang yesterday at a concert given in the Calvary Baptist church, Salem, Mass.

Born in this city, June 15, to Mr. and Mrs. John Murphy, of Gibson street, a son.

Miss Anna V. Regan of this city was bridemaid at the Ryan-Graham wedding at Lawrence Wednesday evening.

Dr. and Mrs. William L. Rombough attended the annual dinner of the Boston and Tufts Dental Alumni at Point Shirley on Tuesday the 14th.

Chief E. S. Hosmer, Mrs. Hosmer and Miss Hosmer and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jenness of this city attended the ladies' day under the auspices of the Massachusetts Fire Chiefs' club at the hotel Cecil in Boston Wednesday evening.

James Smith, P. G. M., and a delegate from the Manchester Unity of this city, attended the deputies' school school of instruction in Boston last evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles C. Terry of Hudson, N. Y., left Lowell yesterday for their home, after spending several weeks as the guests of Mrs. Terry's father, Mr. Jacob Baron, of Middlesex and Carleton streets.

Mr. Frank Charlton, who scored a hit with the "Heart of Maryland" company, this past season is visiting his home in this city.

Miss L. Aileen Hard, of Perry, New York, is visiting at the home of her brother, Mr. C. C. Hard, 312 Nesmith street.

Miss Kittie Milliken has left for Concord, N. H., where she is to make a stay of a few days, after which she will go to St. John, N. B., for a prolonged stay.

Patrolman Michael O'Connell, after an illness of several months, has returned to duty once more.

Mr. and Mrs. N. H. P. Wardwell of 88 Cambridge street, have returned home after a seven weeks' trip to California.

Mr. John Tierney and family of Crawford street, have gone to Sackville, N. B., for the summer.

William Clark of Lincoln street, has gone to New York city for two weeks' vacation.

Mrs. S. Maxfield and family left Lowell today for Hampton, N. H., where they will spend the summer.

THE LAST DAY

PUBLIC SCHOOLS HOLD THEIR LAST SESSION.

Today was the last day of school and the children are now free for two months.

The graduating exercises will take place, the High school, Monday evening and the different grammer schools, on Monday and Tuesday.

Some of the primary classes had informal entertainments and closing exercises today in which only the pupils and their teachers participated.

INSTANTLY KILLED

WAGON FELL UPON JOSEPH DUNSTABLE.

QUINCY, June 17.—Joseph Dunstable, aged about 50 years, and employed on the Metropolitan boulevard at Atlantic street, was instantly killed while at work yesterday afternoon.

He was driving a gravel team, and the connecting link on the crossbar broke, allowing the wagon to come down against the horses. As the wagon swayed toward the edge of the embankment Dunstable jumped and fell down the embankment 25 feet, the wagon falling on top of him, fracturing his skull and crushing in his chest. Death was instantaneous.

Dunstable had been employed by the city but two days, and little is known regarding him. It is thought that he has a sister living in South Boston.

SHEEP ROAST

A FEATURE OF CELEBRATION IN HARTFORD.

HARTFORD, Conn., June 17.—Bunker Hill day was observed in this city by the Putnam Phalanx and the first company, governor's footguard who entertained militia companies from other cities. The footguards had as guests company E, First light Infantry of Providence, R. I., while the hospitalities of the Putnam Phalanx were extended to the Worcester Continentals and delegations from the Amoskeag veterans of Manchester, N. H., and the Ancient and Honorable artillery company of Boston. All the companies united this morning in a parade which was reviewed by Governor Chamberlain and his staff. After the review the companies marched to the Union station where they boarded a special train for Lake Compounce to enjoy an old fashioned sheep roast.

NAN PATTERSON

DENIED PRIVILEGE OF INSPECTING RECORDS.

NEW YORK, June 17.—The application of counsel for Mrs. Nan Patterson, who is charged with the murder of C. Young, the bookmaker, to inspect the minutes of the grand jury in connection with the indictment of Mrs. Patterson, was denied today by Judge Newburger in the court of general sessions. In denying the application, Judge Newburger set next Tuesday as the day for pleading.

HE WALKED OVERBOARD.

NEW BEDFORD, June 17.—Ira M. Chace, a well known citizen in a fit of mental aberration, walked overboard from a wharf north of the city's property, last evening and was drowned. Mr. Chace had been in poor health for months.

How many votes will be cast by the winner of trip No. 1 in the World's Fair contest at the Merrimack? A $25.00 prize goes to the person guessing nearest the exact number. Open to everybody.

Driven to Desperation.

Living at an out of the way place, remote from civilization, a family is often driven to desperation in case of an accident, resulting in Burns, Cuts, Wounds, Ulcers, etc. Lay in a supply of Bucklen's Arnica Salve. It's the best on earth. 25c, at F. H. Goodale's Drug store, 217 Central street, Lowell.

NEW SEWER WORK

Must be Voted by City Council at Once

Unless the city council makes a move very quickly, two big gangs of sewer employes will soon be thrown into idleness and then there will be a howl against the members of the two branches.

The two big gangs referred to numbering several hundred men are now finishing up their work and at present there is no new work ahead and no sign of any. If these men get all through before the city council votes any more new work, it will be necessary for these men to suspend work.

As it takes some time to get a sewer resolution through the city council, the members of that body need to get down to business at once or city hall will be besieged with idle employes.

HIS HEAD CUT

RICHARD KNIGHT MET WITH PAINFUL INJURY.

Richard Knight, residing at the rear of 711 Lakeview avenue while at work on Chelmsford street today laying rails for the Boston & Northern Street Ry. Co., was struck in the head with a crowbar which slipped fom the hands of another employe.

The ambulance was summoned and the injured man removed to the Emergency hospital where two stitches were taken in his head. A laceration on the nose was also dressed.

ELECTED OFFICERS.

DETROIT, Mich., June 17—The supreme grand loyal orange lodge of the United States closed its biennial session here last night with the election of officers, among them the following:

Most worthy supreme grand master, Dr. Henry Hull, Somerville, Mass., supreme grand secretary, Mrs. Christine Milligan, Saugus, Mass.; supreme grand treasurer, Mrs. Mary Given, Woburn, Mass.

SANITARY COMMITTEE MEETING.

The committee on sanitaries, Councilman Hayes, chairman, is still on earth and will meet again on next Monday when it is expected Mayor Howe will appear before the committee and talk over the project.

This is boys' week at the Merrimack. Special values today and tomorrow—across from City hall.

THE "PHI ANNUAL."

The members of the Gamma Deta Psi Fraternity of the Lowell High school have produced a very interesting book entitled the "Phi Annual." The publication is in the form of a school calendar and directory and contains everything of interest in connection with the school. Messrs. Robert B. Parker and Marcus J. Cole are the editors and Mr. Schuyler B. Waller is the illustrator.

GRAND CLOCK SALE

Eight-day Kitchen Clock, hour and half-hour strike. Regular price $2.50 This special sale price..... $1.48

We also have Black Enamel Parlor Clocks, marble laid, cathedral gong. Regular price $5.00. This special sale price $2.98

Regular $8.00 Parlor Clocks, perfect timekeepers. Sale price..... $4.98

GEORGE H. WOOD'S GREAT CLOCK SALE

which continues for a few days only. Get one of these Clocks and be on time.

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All Kinds of Trading Stamps. 227 CENTRAL STREET.

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Fast Twin Screw Steamers

New, 14,250 tons, 600 feet long, fitted with Marconi's wireless system. Rooms upper decks midship. Perfect ventilation.

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A Cunarder from New York every Saturday.

Discount allowed on combined outward and return first and second cabin fares.

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DENIS MURPHY, 18 Appleton street, Lowell, Mass.

J. F. O'DONNELL, 324 Market street, Lowell, Mass.

O. A. BERNSTON, 25 Andrew street, Lowell, Mass.

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LATEST

BANDIT'S DEMAND

Raisuli Asks More Than Can be Granted

WASHINGTON, June 17—In a cablegram today to the state department, Consul General Gummiere at Tangier indicates that the bandit Raisuli, owing to the subserviency of the Moorish officials has exaggerated his demands to a point where they have become ridiculous. Rear Admiral Chadwick informed the navy department by cable today that his flagship Brooklyn has returned to Tangier from Gibraltar where she went for coal. Gummiere adds that a second letter has been received from the grand vizier repeating the sultan's regrets at the outrage and stating that orders have been given to grant Raisuli's demands in order to secure the release of the captives.

"This afternoon, to our surprise," he wires, "there appeared two vessels from Casa Blanca, from which were landed a force of 400 men. These men form a part of a detachment which has been near Casa Blanca for six months. Their appearance at this time embarrasses the situation as the troops here had just been disbanded in compliance with the demands of Raisuli.

NATIONAL COMMITTEE

FIRST OF THE CONTESTS HEARD.

CHICAGO, June 17.—When the republican national committee met today the chief contest to be settled was that on the seating of the delegates at large from the state of Wisconsin. The faction headed by Governor La Follette were fighting for the four delegates at large. Isaac Stephenson, Robert M. La Follette, James B. Stout, and W. D. Connor. The "Stalwarts," so called, who are opposed to the La Follette men, were demanding seats for U. S. Senators Spooner and Quarles and Congressmen Jos. W. Babcock and Emil Baenech. Each faction has a state ticket of its own as well as a state committee. Interest in the result of the contest before the national committee was more general probably than regarding any other question before the committee. The meeting today was called to order by Chairman Payne, who withdrew on account of his interest in the matter, the chair being taken by Senator Scott of West Virginia. D. C. Owen of Milwaukee, as proxy, represented Chairman Payne in the proceedings. It was decided that H. W. Chynoweth of Madison and G. E. Rowe, of New York, formerly associated with Governor La Follette, should present to the committee the La Follette side of the case.

CHARITIES CONFERENCE.

PORTLAND, Me., June 17.—The standing committee on "defectives", Walter E. Fernald, M. D., Waverley, Mass., head, is in charge of the general session of the national conference of charities and correction at the opening of today's meetings.

A paper was read by Miss Lydia Gardiner Chase, Providence, R. I., whose topic was "Public school classes for mentally deficient children."

Section meetings on "Needy families in their homes" and "criminals" were held this afternoon.

General discussion was opened by C. N. Hubbard, general secretary associate in the charities, Cincinnati.

Rev. Frederick H. Wines was chairman of the section meeting on "criminals."

BURYING THE DEAD

(Continued.)

MORE BODIES

WERE FOUND IN THE BURNED STEAMER.

NEW YORK, June 17.—Every hour adds to the horror of the excursion steamer disaster of Wednesday, when the General Slocum was burned to the water's edge near North Brother island. Divers had explored the wreck of the steamer yesterday and reported that no more bodies were to be found there, but shortly after daylight today, a diver found a large number of bodies packed tightly inside one of the paddle wheel boxes. The number is not yet known.

The coroner had arranged to visit the wreck today, for the purpose of ascertaining, if possible, what evidence of culpability on the part of the Knickerbocker Steamboat company or of the officials of the boat, if any, could be secured to present to the coroner's inquest. It was arranged to take the bodies out at that time.

At the various hospitals where the injured have been taken, it is said today their condition was very satisfactory. There are now 53 victims of the disast erin the hospitals.

CAPT. WILLIAM VAN SCHAICK OF THE BURNED STEAMER,

BODIES MISSING

DEPLORABLE BUNGLING IN MANAGEMENT OF BODIES.

NEW YORK, June 17.—It developed today that a new horror had been added to the terrible conditions resulting from the Slocum disaster, through the over-officiousness of some person at the morgue. As a result some of the bodies probably will never be identified. When the bodies were taken from the water, each was tagged with a number. That number was recorded and the papers, valuables and trinkets which would have served to identify the bodies were removed and placed in separate packages, having a number corresponding to that on the body. When the bodies were taken to the morgue they were placed in numbered boxes, but in many cases these numbers did not correspond with the figures the bodies previously had borne. As a result, the plans were completely upset and the numbered packages of valuables became practically worthless as a means of identification.

One case which came to the attention of the officials today was that of T. Hill of Williamsburg. Mr. Hill called at the morgue yesterday and identified the body of his brother-in-law, Mr. Ritcher, and the wife of the latter, and they were removed to the office of an undertaker. In the afternoon, the bodies of Catherine and Lillian Ritcher, 3 and years old, respectively, also were identified by him. When he called at the morgue today, with an undertaker the bodies could not be found. The bodies were numbered 173 and 175 respectively and the authorities at the morgue have no record of any such bodies having been given to any one though they had a record of the identification made by Mr. Hill on yesterday.

It is thought that some undertaker was given the bodies in place of two others which he should have taken, through a confusion in the numbers.

Secretary of Commerce and Labor Geo. B. Cortelyou, who had a long conference with Robert S. Rodie, inspector of steamboats for the second district of New York, after his arrival here, said that he would give his personal attention to the investigation of the Slocum disaster. Mr. Cortelyou left today for Westfield, Mass., where he will deliver two addresses. He will return to New York tonight and begin at once upon the preparations for the investigation. Before leaving for Westfield, the secretary said: "I wish to say that a most thorough investigation wil be made into this most awful tragedy and no stone will be left unturned to lay bare the whole truth with regard to this awful calamity."

THE HOSE BURST

STORY TOLD BY OFFICER EDWARD FLANNIGAN.

NEW YORK, June 16.—Edward Flannigan, chief officer of the Slocum, when questioned by Assistant District Attorney Garvin today denied that it was impossible to get water where the fire hose was attached. The supply of water was plentiful, but the hose, which was new, he said, burst in many places almost as soon as the water was turned on and became useless.

Among telegrams received by Mayor McClellan was one from Sir Thomas Lipton, expressing sympathy and offering $1000 toward a relief fund if needed. Another telegram was from Acting Chief Magistrate Bailey Sorley of Glasgow.

BIG CELEBRATION

17th of June Observed in Several Places

BOSTON, June 17.—The 129th anniversary of the Battle of Bunker Hill was celebrated today throughout this city, Lynn and other nearby places. In Boston business was suspended, the stock exchange, banks and wholesale and retail mercantile establishments having arranged to close for the day. Many of the wholesale houses will not be opened today. As usual the greatest point of interest was at Charlestown, and that section of the city was thronged with visitors from a late hour last night. The feature of the celebration there was a military and civic parade. Next in point of interest was the dedication of a monument to Gen. Jos. Warren, on Warren street, Roxbury. Mayor Collins and other city officials reviewed a parade in the forenoon and later with Governor Bates attended the exercises at the monument.

At Lynn thousands of persons witnessed the dedicating of a large number of stones marking graves of revolutionary soldiers, including three monuments in the memory of Capt. Wm. Farrington, John Adam Gagyr and Wm. Atwell, prominent among the early settlers and soldiers of Lynn.

A metropolitan rowing regatta, horse racing at Clyde Park, Brookline, bicycle races, two national league baseball games and a host of other events comprise the athletic program in Boston and vicinity for the day. The weather was fine.

CELEBRATION IN LYNN.

LYNN, Mass., June 17.—Bunker Hill day in Lynn was observed by the Essex chapter, Sons of the Revolution and Lynn historical society, which dedicated three monuments and 108 head stones over graves of Revolutionary soldiers. These stones were all placed in the old Western burying ground. Miss Frances N. Newhall, principal of a local school unveiled a monument to John Adam Gagyr, celebrated as "The shoemaker of Essex," father of the shoe industry and also a Revolutionary soldier. Miss Newhall is a descendant of Gagyr. A monument to Capt. Wm. Farrington was unveiled by Mrs. Carrie Johnson Hollis, and a tablet in memory of Private William Atwell was uncovered by Lewis P. Atwell. Historical sketches were read. Later in the day exercises were held in the First Congregational church.

After a historical sketch by Postmaster Howard Sanderson, he presented the three monuments to the city of Lynn. All those who participated actively in the exercises up to this point are descendants of Revolutionary soldiers, but Mayor Henry W. Eastham, who was called upon to accept the memorials, made no claim to such ancestry, he having been born in England. An address on Revolutionary history in this section was given by U. S. Senator Henry Cabot Lodge. His remarks were entirely informal.

PATRIOTIC EXERCISES.

BOSTON, June 17.—Patriotic exercises were held in the Old North church on Salem street, under the auspices of the Daughters of the American Revolution. In this historic edifice from whose belfry the signal light told Paul Revere of the march of the British troops, hundreds of children assembled to hear again the lesson of patriotism.

The day in general did not vary much from the celebration in previous years. Guns, fireworks and firecrackers played a prominent part and the hospital surgeons were kept busy dressing the wounds caused by the careless handling of explosives.

TABLET DEDICATED.

FRYEBURG, Me., June 17.—A boulder in which is set a bronze tablet commemorative of Lovett's fight with the Pequawket Indians, May 8, 1725, was dedicated today on the site of the battle. A simple ceremony at the monument was followed by exercises in the church.

STOCK MARKET

Today's Quotations on Active Stocks

The following are the closing quotations of today's stock market for active stocks:

NEW YORK STOCKS

Amalgamated	49½
Am Sugar	126⅝
Am Sugar	71⅝
B & O	80⅛
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	48⅝
Chi & Gt W	13¾
C M St P	142⅛
C R I & P	20⅞
Con Gas	193½
Ex Rights	16¼
Del & Hud	154
Erie	24½
Erie pfd	55⅝
Manhat Con	147
Met St Ry	111½
Mis Pacific	91½
Mo. Kan & Tex	16¾
Mo, Kan & Tex pfd	36¾
Nat Lead	20⅝
N Y Cen	115
N Y, Ont & W	26¾
Penn R	115
People's Gas	96⅛
Reading	46⅞
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do pfd	93
U S Steel	9
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RUSSIAN-JAPANESE WAR

(Continued)

EXPLOSION OF SHELL KILLED HUNDREDS

TOKIO, June 17, 9 a. m.—Details in connection with the sinking of the Japanese transport Hitachi by Russian warships are being furnished by survivors. The Russian ships were sighted at 7 o'clock in the morning and in response to a signal the Hitachi was stopped but at 10 o'clock got under way again and attempted to escape. The Russians followed and opened a heavy fire directed at about the water line with the evident intention of destroying troops on board. The fire was terrific and in a few minutes the decks were covered with corpses and washed with blood. One shell struck the engine and killed 200 men. The ship began to fill and sunk gradually by the stern. At 6 o'clock in the evening, she was completely submerged. Capt. Campbell, the English master of the transport jumped overboard at 2 o'clock in the afternoon and is numbered among the missing. The chief engineer was killed on the bridge. The commander of the troops ordered the flag to be burned and then killed himself. The second mate committed suicide. Many of the crew and troops escaped in the boats.

The transport Sado is still afloat but is badly damaged. She is being towed into the nearest port. She sighted the Russian ships 35 miles west of Shiro island. Their signals to stop were unheeded so the Russians opened fire and signalled for those on board the Sado to leave the ship. Upon that the crew took to the boats and in this way many escaped when the ship was evidently fired by the enemy.

The number of men on board the transports and the list of casualties are not as yet obtainable, although one account says there were 1400 aboard.

WARNING ISSUED TO ALL CIVILIANS

VLADIVOSTOK, June 17.—The commander of the fortress Gen. Lavroff, has issued an order warning all civilians to make immediate provision to send their families into the interior so as to avoid peremptory exclusion at a moment of sudden necessity. There are 3000 women and children here.

RUSSIAN FORCES WERE OUTNUMBERED

LIAO YANG, June 16—During the night of June 11 the Russian forces under General Stakelberg which had been engaged with the Japanese for two days slept in their position four miles south of Vafangow and on the morning of June 15, assumed the offensive and attacked the Japanese lines. The battle lasted all day and the Russians inflicted heavy loss on the enemy. No doubt was felt by the Russians of their ability to force the Japanese back but heavy reinforcements for the enemy had been brought up rapidly from the south arriving in time to turn the scale.

An entire division of fresh Japanese troops was thrown into line against the already tired Russians and the immense superiority in numbers enabled them to overlap the left flank of the Russians who had not sufficient men to meet the movement and were forced to withdraw upon Vafangow. The Russians retired reluctantly and doggedly, not beaten but outnumbered.

MANY SURVIVORS RESCUED BY OFFICERS

TOKIO, June 17, Noon—The officers of the steamer Tosa which rescued many survivors of the Japanese transport Hitachi, confirm the details of her disasterous encounter with the Russian warships so far as already announced.

FOG HAS SAVED RUSSIAN SQUADRON

TOKIO, June 17, 11 a. m.—It is probable that fog has again saved Vladivostok squadron. Many rumors are afloat of an action at sea but they are not confirmed. The Russian ships were first sighted off Oki island at 8.30 a. m. June 15 by a patrol boat, which reported the fact to vice admiral Kamatkura at an unknown base, who left in pursuit with his whole squadron. At 9.30 a. m. on the same date, vice admiral Tsunoda, commanding the Takeshiki, naval station received the information of the enemy's appearance off shore and immediately dispatched a flotilla of torpedo boats in chase but the wind, rain and fog which prevailed prevented them from doing effective work. During the afternoon, the storm increased. Vice admiral Kamatkura with his squadron is still chasing the enemy. The fate of the transport Izumi is still unknown. There were foreigners on board the destroyed transports except their officers.

ATTACK ON ETZEL WAS UNPROVOKED

NEW CHWANG, June 17, 6 a. m.—The investigation of the death of Lewis Etzel, correspondent of the London Daily Telegraph who was killed by Chinese soldiers off the coast of Liao Tung peninsula June 7, when cruising in a junk between Shwantaltze and Edickoin company with Ernest Brindle correspondent of the London Daily Mail is finished. The jury finds that there was not the slightest cause for attacking the correspondents. Consul Miller is expected to arrive at Pekin this afternoon to make a personal report of the affair to U. S. Minister Conger.

GALLANT FIGHT MADE BY RUSSIANS

ST. PETERSBURG, June 17.—The news of the result of the battle at Vafangow reached here this morning too late to allow much comment. The public seem to accept the result stoically and are content that the Russians made a gallant and stubborn fight until the arrival of fresh battalions of the enemy compelled General Stakelberg's troops, weary and exhausted with three days' hard fighting, to give way. A special dispatch to the Associated Press from Liao Yang, contains the first Russian estimate of General Stakelberg's losses, placing them at a thousand men and 20 officers. The same dispatch says General Stakelberg had assumed the offensive when the Japanese re-inforcements came up.

The present situation is not clear, although it is believed that General Stakelberg will continue to retire to the northward. It is possible, however, that re-inforcements are being sent to his support.

The message also says that the whereabouts of General M. Stcheruko is not known and this latter statement may be pregnant with significance.

JAPANESE FLEET CHASING RUSSIANS

LONDON, June 17—According to advices received at the Japanese legation from Tokio, vice admiral Kamimuras fleet started on the morning of June 15 in pursuit of the Vladivostok squadron.

ACTIVE OPERATIONS AT PORT ARTHUR

ST. PETERSBURG, June 17.—A dispatch received from Vladivostok today showing that the commander there is getting rid of the remaining civilian population, strengthens the belief here that preparations are being made at Vladivostok for the reception of rear admiral Withoft's squadron when it comes out of Port Arthur and that active operations against the city are imminent.

BOER WAR HERO

Was Married Wednesday to a Lowell Girl

Mr. Jeremiah Leary, of Boer war fame, and Miss Maggie Cremin were married Wednesday evening by Rev. Fr. Walsh at the parochial residence of St. Patrick's church. The bride was becomingly attired in white muslin and the groom looked the soldier and the man. It was sympathy that prompted him to go to the front in far off South Africa, where he made a hero's record, and it was something stronger than sympathy that called him to the altar Wednesday—it was love. After the ceremony the happy couple proceeded to their home at 148 Dummer street, where they were greeted by a host of friends and a wholesouled wedding reception was enjoyed. The happy couple were the recipients of many beautiful presents, conspicuous among which was $50 in gold, the gift of the groom's brother, Michael Leary.

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PARK COMMISSION

Held Regular Meeting at City Hall Last Night

The Park commissioners held their regular meeting last evening with Chairman Pickman and Messrs. Hall and Drury present, likewise Supt. Whittett who attends all the meetings.

Considerable routine business was transacted. It was stated that the superintendent would soon get to the work of removing dead trees that are dangerous and trimming others the city council having voted $500 for such work.

The superintendent of commons was authorized to take personal charge of the letting of booths on the common for Fourth of July and those desiring lots may procure them by calling on the superintendent at his office.

The committee announced that it had no objection to allowing the sports to be run off on the North Common on July fourth.

CHALLENGE DECLINED.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., June 17.—The Yale Corinthian Yacht club has declined the Harvard Yacht club's challenge for a race of 30-foot boats at Newport. It was proposed to have the race after the New London regatta and the challenge was declined because of the lateness of the date.

FOR ASSAULT AND BATTERY.

John Lavokell was arrested in Central street this forenoon by Patrolman John J. Crowley on a warrant charging him with assault and battery on Michael Zoujane. The alleged assault was committed about a week ago.

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TROOPS REVIEWED

Grand Showing Made Before the Governor

THOUSANDS WITNESSED THE FINE DISPLAY

One of Most Interesting Days in Camp

CAMP AT FRAMINGHAM, June 17.—About 6 o'clock yesterday morning it rained briskly for a while, and at reveille it looked as though the review day would bring showers, but it brightened along in the forenoon and remained clear during the day. It was warm, however, the first really hot spell since last Saturday. Early in the forenoon visitors commenced to arrive, coming largely from the middle and western part of the state, that section having the majority representation among the troops here. Boston has but one company, L, of the 6th regiment, present.

Governor Bates and his party of state officials, accompanied by a representation of officers of the army stationed in the forts about Boston, headed by Colonel Mills, commander of the military district of Boston, reached the field at 11 o'clock and were received with the regulation honors. A governor's salute was fired by battery B, Worcester.

The chief executive's party was met at South Framingham station by a detail of the governor's staff stationed here, headed by General Brigham, I. G., and Captains Glines and Ullman of General Mathews' staff. It took 25 carriages to convey the visitors, but even this imposing sight failed to arouse any enthusiasm in the staid old town. Its people are used to governors, "distinguished citizens" and soldiers.

Once at the camp and the salute over the governor was waited upon by the brigade commander and his entire staff and the "top of the morning" exchanged.

By noon several thousand spectators were on the field, and the company at the various messes taxed the capacity of the commissary to its utmost. Several thousand rations must have been issued for the dinner and supper alone.

At the brigade headquarters mess it was necessary to set two tables, and the same was true of many messes down the line. Following the dinner the governor went calling among the organizations, returning in time to mount his horse and ride to the reviewing point. While the troops were assembling in their streets and parks an immense crowd of spectators had gathered at the north of the parade, the line extending almost from brigade headquarters to the cavalry gate at the west of the field.

A change was made yesterday in the method of handling the headquarters' invited guests. Instead of using the carriages, as usual heretofore, and carting the elect to the right of the reviewing point, chairs had been provided on the left of the governor, and to gain this vantage point the "distinguished citizens and citizenesses" walked to it from headquarters. This arrangement is decidedly superior to the old-time method and was appreciated by the "common people," who occupied "standing seats" in the rear.

A little before 3 o'clock Governor Bates, with General Brigham, in the place of General Dalton, who was unable to ride, and accompanied by his staff, rode to his position, receiving a salvo of applause from the spectators.

In the meantime the organizations of the brigade had formed on their own parades, and at the command from Lieut.-Col. Sanborn formed in brigade line of messes. The 6th owing to a wrong position taken by the brigade guide, it was said, overshot the mark and had to "back water." This matter adjusted, the command was turned over to General Mathews, who presented the brigade to the governor. The usual ride of the commander-in-chief with General Mathews, both accompanied by their staffs, around the brigade followed, the men, and even the animals, standing handsomely. Returning to the reviewing point, the brigade, following a change of direction by the left flank, was put in motion for the march past.

Gen. Mathews headed the brigade and was remembered by his friends. He, together with his staff, saluted handsomely and wheeled into position beside the governor. Harrison's signal men headed the marching men. They looked well, but the lieutenant was wrong in his interpretation of saluting distance. Next came Col. Clark, with the 2d Infantry. The colonel received a welcome from the spectators, and earned it by making the prettiest salute of the day. Following him came his regiment, the companies swinging along like automatons. It never made a better passage in its history, but special commendation should be awarded the first and third companies, 1st battalion; the fourth company, 2d battalion, and the second company of the 3d battalion, for their excellent distances between ranks.

Col. Darling followed the 2d with his 6th regiment. Gold dollars were thrown his way as he passed along the line of spectators and gave a most graceful salute to his chief. Behind him came his command of 12 solid companies, marching along with a somewhat slow step and with fronts capitally aligned. Distances between ranks, excepting in the second company of the 1st battalion, were invariably too close, while distances between companies were very good, excepting in the 3d battalion.

The infantry out of the road, the artillery took the attention of the field, Maj. Duchesney heading the battalion, giving a good salute, his staff doing likewise. Battery C of Lawrence headed the battalion, Capt. Sargent saluting some paces too soon. The battery looked well. B battery of Worcester closed the artillery feature, Capt. Wheeler saluting too soon. This battery looked well, although one of its guns was out of plumb, and distances, with better animals, would doubtless have been improved.

Capt. Bell, with his ambulance corps, divided into six little platoons, brought up the rear of the column. It certainly never made a better appearance in its history than it did yesterday. This closed the review proper, but it was followed by a ride past, at the trot, of the artillery and cavalry. This was handsomely done and proved the most interesting event of the afternoon.

Following the ride past of the mounted force, the governor proceeded to headquarters, where he held a little reception and later took supper at the brigade mess. He left the camp at 8.30 o'clock on a special electric car over the Boston & Worcester road. The immense crowd that had visited the camp possibly the greatest in number since the volunteers were organized here in 1898, left after evening parade and at retreat the colors went down on one of the most interesting days in the history of the 1st brigade.

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ELECTRIC TELEGRAPH

FOR FIRE ALARM AND POLICE PATROL SYSTEMS.

A bulletin on the application of the electric telegraph and telephone to the fire alarm and police patrol systems of the cities of the United States has been issued by the department of commerce and labor and while the bulletin is of a statistical nature it contains facts that are generally interesting.

The bulletin states that of the 764 fire alarm systems in the United States, 64 used overhead construction exclusively, and of this number 357, or over 50 per cent, were to be found in communities of less than 10,000 population. This confirms the statement as to the extension of municipal fire alarm systems in the smaller cities and towns. There were 53 systems which used combined overhead and underground construction. There were only 144 municipalities which owned their entire pole line, while 609 leased, or used without cost, the supports for their overhead wires and cables.

Table 5 shows the miles of conduit and the wire mileage for the 83 systems reporting the use of underground construction.

It appears from the various tables that in the 83 systems included, 494 miles of conduits were owned and 445 miles were leased, giving a total of 11,433 miles of single wire and single wire in cables from which the streets have immediately been released. This underground circuit was more widely distributed than might perhaps be expected, being found in no fewer than 23 states and the District of Columbia.

As might be expected, the 764 systems, while distributed through 48 states and territories, are to be found chiefly in the older and more densely populated sections. Massachusetts has the largest number, namely 106; New York is second, with 70 (or 71 if New York city were to be credited with two systems instead of being counted as one); New Jersey is third, with 57; followed by Pennsylvania, with 56; Ohio, 50; Michigan, 40; Indiana, 37; Illinois, 34; California, 28; Connecticut and Wisconsin, each 26; Maine, 22; Iowa, 19; New Hampshire, 18; Minnesota, 17; Colorado and Kentucky, each 12; Vermont, 11; and Texas, 10. New York, however, leads in almost every respect, having 5,578 signaling boxes, as compared with the next state in rank, Massachusetts, which has 3880. With regard to the use of the telephone as central station equipment, Maryland is reported as having 19.0 drops, or lines, or a shade less than 30 per cent. of the total capacity of the country thus engaged, while Pennsylvania has 2203, or 34 per cent. In telephonic capacity 54 per cent. of the total is thus accounted for, but as this represents only 7 switchboards, 1 in Maryland and 6 in Pennsylvania, it can not be accepted as a full indication of the facts, 55 of the boards being in use for such work in 21 of the other states or territories.

The total number of signaling and annunciating boxes in the United States was 37,832, from which 85,070 alarms were received. Of these alarms 12,794 are credited to New York, from 5591 boxes, or 2 per box, per annum, whereas in the state of Illinois with 2278 boxes, the number of alarms received was 9,027, or 4 per box. In Massachusetts, with 4890 boxes, 9491 alarms were received, or 2 per box. In the state of Pennsylvania, with 3565 boxes, 4571 alarms were reported as having been received, or about 1.3 per box. In Kentucky, with 603 boxes, 1861 alarms were reported, or 3 per box. In Minnesota, with 838 boxes, 2430 fire alarms were reported, or 3 per box. The variations in the average number of fire alarms per box may be due either to the prevalence of wooden construction in buildings resulting in more frequent fire alarms, or to the heavy duties thrown on the boxes by distributing them more sparsely. This latter supposition, however, does not appear to be borne out upon examining the distribution of boxes per mile of wire. For example, Illinois, with a total of 2820 miles of wire, had 2278 boxes, or less than 1 box per mile of wire, while Pennsylvania with 7591 miles of wire, had only 3565 boxes, or less than 1 box to 2 miles of wire. Minnesota had 838 boxes to 1054 miles of wire, or about the same proportion as Massachusetts, with 5330 miles of wire and 4890 boxes. New York appears to be well equipped in this respect, having 5591 boxes to 4937 miles of wire, thus giving more than 1 box to the mile.

Reports were received from 118 electric police patrol systems. The data for systems used interchangeably for the fire alarm and police patrol services have already been referred to in connection with the statistics for fire alarm systems. The service is of much more recent date than that of the fire alarm, and does not, therefore include so many plants.

In the table showing the number of street miles of conduit Lowell is credited with 5, Boston 54, Worcester 19 and Springfield 18.

SPEED LAW

MAGISTRATE CRANE WILL HELP IN HAVING IT OBSERVED.

Magistrate Crane of New York, formerly of this city, believes that the speed limits set for automobiles should be observed and when John Allen, 35 years old, an officer in the Kings County Automobile Association, was arraigned in the Jefferson Market police court on the charge of violating the speed law, Magistrate Crane waxed savage in his comments.

"If I am crossing the street," he said, "I am startled by a horn tooted by one of you autoists. If I don't get out of the way in time I ascend, go up, come down, and am seriously if not fatally injured."

Allen said that he would like to take the magistrate for a ride so that he could personally observe the speed at which he was accustomed to go. The magistrate replied that he did not want his epitaph written before his time.

Allen was held in $200 bell for trial.

UNKNOWN WORKMAN KILLED.

NEW YORK, June 17.—One of the big automobiles used to take sightseers about the city, ran over and killed an unknown elderly man in Broadway last night, while members of the merry party were laughing and singing.

CLOSING DAY

OF REUNION OF CONFEDERATE VETERANS.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., June 17.—As a fitting climax to the reunion of the United Confederate Veterans, Nashville and her thousands of guests yesterday gave the veterans, as they proudly marched through the densely crowded streets, an ovation which will live long in the memory of its recipients, as well as those who paid the honor.

The parade was representative not only of every southern state but many camps located in the far west, one in Montana and another in Ohio, had delegations in line.

Mrs. John B. Gordon, the widow of the former commander-in-chief, stood at the front of the reviewing stand and drawn up across the street were General Lee and his staff.

The veterans cheered their leader to the echo as they passed and then they turned and saluted the widow of John B. Gordon. Mrs. Gordon was deeply moved at the manifestations of affection.

Another affecting incident was the welcome and salute of the Old Stonewall Jackson brigade as it passed.

OUR LADIES' SUIT SALE

Of last week a great success, but we have about forty left which we shall sell at **$7.50**

A suit that sold formerly for $15, $18, $20 to $25

Nobby Shirt Waist Suits

We have a new line of fine Lawn Suits, in white, tan and black and white, perfect fitting at **$3.98, $5 to $7.50**

Summer Skirts

Of Duck, P. K. and Linen, in several different styles, priced at

79c, 98c, $1.50 to $5

Wash Silk Waists

Pretty effects in white wash silk, plain and lace trimmed styles, priced at

$1.98, $2.49, $2.98 to $5

Separate Skirts

New Skirts in walking lengths, come in three shades of grey and blue or black, priced at about half value **$3.98**

New Voile Skirts

Elegantly trimmed with taffeta, strapping and lace, exclusive styles at

$5.98, 6.50, 7.50 to $15

Misses' Coats

Sizes 10 to 14 years, just a few left at just half price

$2.98, $3.98 and $5

Bell Shoe Dept.

Every Saturday we place special lots of goods on sale as a leader and challenge anyone in New England to duplicate the goods at our prices. For Friday and Saturday we have three leaders:—

MEN'S

$3.00 and $3.50 Tan, Vici, Russia Calf, Patent Colt and Calf Shoes and Oxfords. All hand-sewed..... **1.97**

We also have about 150 pairs of Ladies' Oxfords, in Patent Colt and Vici leathers, with rubber heels, here Saturday..... **1.48**

LADIES'

Tan, Gibson Tie, Patent Colt and Vici Oxfords, sold everywhere for $3, for Saturday **1.98**

One lot of Boys' Shoes for everyday wear, sizes 11 to 5½, Saturday **98c**

CHILDREN'S

1500 pairs of Baby Shoes, sizes 1 to 5, while they last **9c pr**

350 pairs of Ladies' Oxfords, in Patent Colt and Vici Kid leathers. **98c**

Shoes That Wear. Good Shoes That Are Cheap

Five Hundred Pairs of Men's Lace and Congress Shoes..... 98c

One lot of Children's, all sizes..... 73c

A few pairs of Ladies' Tan Shoes..... $1.19

THE BELL SHOE AND CLOTHING CO.

Old Post Office. 31-14 Merrimack Street.

LEGAL NOTICES

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, and all other persons interested in the estate of Patrick Ducey, late of Lowell in said County, deceased.

Whereas, Mary Ducey, administratrix of the estate of said deceased, has presented to said Court her petition for license to sell at private sale, in accordance with the offer named in said petition, or upon such terms as may be adjudged best, the whole of a certain parcel of the real estate of said deceased for the payment of debts, legacies and charges of administration, and for other reasons set forth in said petition.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge in said County, on the twenty-eighth day of June, A. D. 1904, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this sixteenth day of June in the year one thousand nine hundred and four.

W. E. ROGERS, Asst. Register.

SUMMER RESORTS

"OCEANSIDE HOTEL"—Lynn Beach, Opens June 17, by owner, Mrs. Lottie Roby; all rooms overlook the ocean and new baseball park; table unexcelled. Rates $1, $1.25 and $1.50 per day, according to the rooms taken. Patrons of this house will do well to engage rooms early this season.

MONEY TO LOAN

DON'T BE SHORT—Plenty of money to loan to salaried people, merchants, boarding house keepers, teamsters, etc. Easy weekly payments, lowest rates in the city. Confidential; no publicity; no delay. Special inducements for quick payments. Private office. U. S. Loan Co., 90 Prescott St., room 5, Lowell, Mass.

PAWNBROKER—Money to loan; money loaned on all valuable articles, clothing; rates reasonable. A Stein, 343 Middlesex street, Lowell, Mass.

MONEY TO LOAN on furniture, pianos and all personal property. Private office. (Strictly confidential.) Room 5, Swan building, 26 Central street.

MONEY ON CREDIT without security. Boarding houses, retail merchants and salaried people; easy payments; lowest rates in the city. Merrimack Loan Co., 5 Associate building.

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MISCELLANEOUS

DR. BRETON has moved to 258 Merrimack street, where he will treat all chronic cases. Office hours, 10 to 12; 2 to 4; 7 to 8.30.

A. F. LAMBERT & CO., Contractor and shingler will furnish all materials if desired. 252 Aiken st.

LACE CURTAINS LAUNDERED at 25 cents a pair work guaranteed, also called for and delivered. Mrs. Brown, 177 Agawam st., cor of St. James.

RAILROAD AND COMMERCIAL telegraphy taught thoroughly by an experienced telegrapher, positions guaranteed when competent. H. L. Whitten, 530 Gorham st.

BENTS NO 2 for excessive sweating feet; harmless. 25c at Falls and Burkinshaw's only, corner Middlesex and Thorndike sts.

WHITE SEWING MACHINE CO., 376 Bridge street. The light ball bearing rotary and vibrator machines excel all others for quick sewing, light running and durability. Second hand machines in stock.

DRINK GLORIA for new and vigorous life. Boyle Bros. Telephone.

We have all the new spring and summer styles in hats at Delorme's the hatter; old hats made over. 281 Middlesex st.

PRUNING, grading, turfing and all kinds of gardening done in the best manner by John Oliver, 179 Varnum avenue. Telephone 1613-5.

LADIES—Dr. LaFranco's Compound gives positive relief; powerful combination; used by 200,000 women; price 25 cents; druggists or by mail. Address LaFranco & Co., Philadelphia, Pa.

LIMBURG—Chimney expert; chimneys swept and repaired. Residence 1128 Bridge street. Telephone.

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Gentleman's plain gold band ring, owner's name inside. Liberal reward if returned to 509 Middlesex st.

FOUND—A pocketbook, the owner can have by describing property by telephone. Call 35.

FOUND—Pocketbook containing a small sum of money, owner can have by calling at 6 Brown's Court, off Marshall st. and proving property.

LOST—Black and tan hound, name on collar Frank Willett. Return to 325 Worthen st. and receive reward.

LOST—Between Appleton mill and Royal st. a pay envelope. Finder please return to 70 Royal st. and receive reward.

LOST—A pin. L. H. C. The finder will please return to Grant Jewelry Store.

LOST—A great deal of time is lost hunting for a tenant or a tenement. Advertise in The Sun and save time.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

FOR SALE—On Rogers street, Belvidere, two story, ten room house with bath and pantry and seven thousand feet of land all fenced in. Smith & Cavanaugh, Donovan building, Central st.

FOR SALE—30 acre farm near Lowell, $500; hard wood lot, nine room house built in 1898 cost $1500, good barn, 100 ft. hen house, price $1500, good barn. Gagnon 173 Merrimack st., Lowell.

HOME FOR SALE IN THE HIGHLANDS—House and barn 87 Dover st. A two and a half story slated roof house with 8 large rooms, also wash room with set tubs, hot and cold water, pantry, bath room and large storage room. Furnace heat. Stable for two horses, good carriage room. Plenty of fruit trees, sixty-six hundred feet of land. Property in good repair. Call at 278 Branch st., cor. of Dover.

FOR SALE—Summer cottage on an island 1½ acres, will be sold at a sacrifice if sold at once. J. W. Bruce & Co., 26 Central street, Room 1.

FOR SALE—In Centralville, a two-story house, eight rooms, bath, hot and cold water, at 34 Varnum street; price and terms to suit purchaser. Apply at 403 Bridge street, corner Third.

AUTOMOBILES

TAKEN IN TRADE and will sell at a sacrifice. One steam automobile, will carry four passengers. Price $250. One Pierce, gasoline automobile, Price $450. One Eldredge gasoline automobile, double cylinder, 8 horse power, sliding gear transmission, three speeds forward and one reverse. This auto is practically new. Cost $750, a bargain at $575. Demonstration given on all of these automobiles. Norton & Fuller, 7 Hurd st.

SPECIAL NOTICES

PRACTICAL DRESSMAKER—Miss M. W. Taylor solicits your patronage, 17 Caldell Avenue, Crescent st., off Chelmsford st.

DAVID HUNTLEY wishes to announce to his friends and patrons that he has opened up a bakery store at 1030 Gorham st. with a fresh supply of pies, cake, bread and pastry every day, wedding cakes made to order.

M. A. GILLIGAN & SON, 77 Hampshire st., Centralville, housepainting, decorating, paperhanging and kalsomining, estimates furnished on all kinds of work.

WINDOW SCREENS GIVEN AWAY—A large hard wood window screen given away with a pound of tea or two pounds of coffee. Dickson's Tea Store, 68 Merrimack street.

BILLIARD AND POOL tables bought, sold and repaired, all work guaranteed. S. Scott, 34 Central st.

NOTICE—We have just received a large lot of teas, English Breakfast, Assam, Ceylon, Oolong and Japan from London, England. They are of the finest quality, also we are giving $3.00 worth of any kind of trading stamps with one pound of our 60c Tea, $6.00 worth with our 50c Tea, $2.50 worth with our 30c Coffee, $2.00 worth with our 25c Coffee. The Elwood Tea Co., Davis Sq.

THE SUN IN BOSTON—The Sun is on sale every day at both news-stands of the Union Station in Boston. Don't forget this when taking your train for Lowell.

TO LET

TO LET—A front room with the use of bath, 58 Elm st., right bell.

TO LET—Carpenter shop, 29 Middle st. Has been used as a carpenter shop 20 years.

TO LET—A tenement, five rooms, bath and pantry, hot and cold water at 294 South st.

TO LET—Furnished rooms to let with use of bath at 117 Merrimack st. Apply New Idea Shoe Co.

TO LET—Tenement of four rooms on High street, $3.00 per month. Key at 107 High street.

TO LET—Tenement to rent of 3 rooms down stairs. Address 32 Franklin st.

TO RENT—8 room furnished cottage at So. Wellfleet, Cape Cod Mass., near beach, also bathing and fishing.

TO LET—Old established Chinese laundry. Inquire Pike, Cor. Howard and Middlesex sts.

TO LET—A good tenement, Liberty Square, low rent. Pike's, Cor. Howard and Middlesex sts.

TO LET—Rooms with or without board. 63 Bartlett street.

TO LET—Furnished rooms to let at 117 Merrimack st. Apply at New Idea Shoe Co.

TO LET—Furnished and unfurnished rooms, steam heat and bath at 543 Fletcher st.

TO LET—5 room tenement at 15 Lombard st. with or without barn.

TO LET—Two furnished rooms, suitable for doctor or fortune teller, one flight up. 696 Merrimack st.

TO LET—Tenement with all modern conveniences, $15.00 a month. Inquire at 35 Royal st.

TO LET—Cottage house of five rooms in Batchelder Place, off Walker st. Key at cottage near by. Wm. A. Read, 223 Liberty st.

TO LET—A few extra clean, tidy tenements to rent in very best repair. We can give you the four, five, six or nine rooms at prices ranging from $5.50 to $16.00 per month and you can have your choice of several locations. Call and see us, T. H. Elliott, 64 Central st.

TO LET AT HAMPTON BEACH—Rooms at reasonable rates in a very desirable cottage. Special rates for the month of June. Address A. D. Winslow, Hampton Beach, N. H.

TO LET—Good 5 room tenements to let, near mills, newly painted and papered. $2.00 week. Apply Pendergast's store, 293 Lakeview Ave.

TO LET—A seaside cottage of seven furnished rooms, good fishing and boating, at South Wellfleet, Mass. Apply to Miss H. F. Trueworthy, 17 Wachusett st. off Thirteenth st. Lowell.

TO LET—Furnished room on School street, near Pawtucket. Gentleman preferred. Address C. M. W., Sun Office.

TO LET—Very pleasant front and two side rooms with bath, reasonable. 271 Gorham st. opposite Court house.

TO LET—Two houses at Salisbury Beach, rent very low, for further particulars address Mrs. A. T. Clark, 75 Market st., Amesbury, Mass.

TO LET—Suite of unfurnished rooms at 29 Bridge street.

TO LET—One of the best located stores in town, corner of Summer and South streets; will rent for liquor or grocery store; a good chance for the right party. For further particulars call at 198 South street.

TO LET—At 63 Howard street, furnished rooms within three minutes' walk of Middlesex station.

TO LET—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Address or call at 19 Dutton street, after 6 o'clock.

TO LET—A first class boarding house in good repair, all furnished with curtains, 21 rooms 512 Central street. Inquire 34 Jackson or 795 Bridge street.

TO LET—Nicely furnished room with all modern conveniences and privileges of a home. 105 Chestnut street.

TENEMENTS—Two room and four room tenements, Chestnut square. Inquire 81 Chestnut street.

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CASH REGISTER

Easy payments. No interest. A liberal allowance for old registers. International Mfg. Co., Room 45, Donovan building.

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During 1903 nearly 600,000 cigars, 29 years' continuous increase in sales, show that quality counts. R. G. SULLIVAN, Mfgr., Manchester, N. H.

Every Woman

is interested and should know about the wonderful **Marvel Whirling Spray Douche**

ASK YOUR DRUGGIST FOR IT. If he cannot supply the MARVEL do not be put off with other, but send stamp for illustrated book—sealed. It Gives full particulars and directions invaluable to ladies.

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HELP WANTED

WANTED—Young man to canvass the French section of Lowell for a well known food product. Must be neat and of good character. Will pay salary and expenses. Apply by letter to W. J. G., 6 Burbank Bldg.

WANTED—To hire 2 first class mailers and an experienced man for squaring up saw. Apply to A. A. Flint's Box Factory, Tyngsboro, Mass.

WANTED—A barber at 370 Broadway.

FOR SALE—Cheap a number of first class wall brackets. Call at 84 Ford st. John Leath.

FOR SALE—Beer pump and water pressure for bar room. Call 32 Sargent st.

FOR SALE—Road mare, sound and fearless, open buggy, sleigh and harness. Will sell separately or at a bargain for the outfit. Tel 938-4.

Fresh Haddock, 3c pound; Fresh Halibut 10c pound. All kinds of fish, plenty and good. Pike's Market, Cor. Middlesex and Howard sts.

FOR SALE—New Cheese 10c pound; Leg Mutton, 10c pound; Forequarters Mutton, 5c pound, New Potatoes, 5c qt.; New Wax Beans, 5c qt.; Fresh Fowl, 12½c pound. Pike's Market, Cor Middlesex and Howard sts.

FOR SALE—100 cord pine wood; 100 cord pine trash wood; 25 cord oak wood. Orders at Pike's Market, Cor. Howard and Middlesex sts.

WANTED—Temperate farm hand. Inquire Pike, Cor. Howard and Middlesex sts.

WANTED Ladies as house demonstrators for articles for ladies use, Lowell and vicinity. For particulars address A, this office.

WANTED—Table girl at 213 Middlesex st.

WANTED—A boy. Inquire at this office.

ANY INTELLIGENT PERSON may earn $60 to $100 monthly corresponding for newspapers; $5 a column for work in spare time; no canvassing. Send for particulars. Northern Press Syndicate, Room 33, Lockport, N. Y.

AGENTS WANTED—Sell our $1 bottle Sarsaparilla for 35c; best seller; 200 per cent. profit; write today for terms and territory. F. R. Greene, 115 Lake St., Chicago.

SITUATIONS WANTED

SITUATION WANTED—By a boy of 18, in meat, grocery or any store, experienced in care of horses. Address J. L. R., 243 High street.

WANTED—Children to board in East Chelmsford, second house on right past city line. Take Boston car.

WANTED—A chance to work as a salesgirl in a bakery or restaurant or store. Address A. H., this office.

SITUATION WANTED—By a young man of good habits, can furnish good references. Address C. A. P., Sun Office.

EXPERIENCED SALESMAN with English, French and Greek wishes to find situation. Address N. Pa., Sun Office.

WANTED—By young lady graduate from business college, position as stenographer and typewriter. Address Stenographer, 95 Westford street, City.

NURSE—Thoroughly experienced nurse, capable of acting as midwife; confinement cases a specialty. Address 29 Chestnut square.

WANTED—By a sober man, work on farm. Inquire 568 Broadway.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—First class 16 ft. canoe. Inquire 61 Sixth st. after 6 p. m.

FOR SALE—Driving mare 8 years old, would exchange for working horse. C. Devenoux, 724 Central street.

FOR SALE—Thoroughbred collie puppies, six weeks old, sable and white. Also Cocker Spaniel puppies from prize stock. 25 young pigs, good breed. Box 466, City.

MOTOR BICYCLE 6 horse power Delion motor pacing machine cheap for cash, record 1.13 for mile. 195 Moody st.

FOR SALE—Grocery store to sell, well stocked. Doing fine business. Selling on account of sickness. Apply at Sun Office.

RUBBER STAMPS at wholesale prices: 1-in. one line stamps, 15c; 1½ in., 20c; 35c ink pads, 25c; 25c ink pads, 15c; 50c linen markers, 25c; business stamps, 15c per line. J. M. Fellows, 158 Merrimack st.

WANTED

WANTED—A small store, suitable for fruit, dry goods, in good location, stocked or vacated. Address M. J. B., Sun Office.

WANTED—By neat American woman day and hour work, best of references. Call 5 Fernald st.

WANTED—Washing, ironing and sewing by Nova Scotia woman. E. A., 179 Tremont st.

WANTED—Store with small tenement. Address A. J. H., Sun Office.

WANTED—A chance to place a baby in the country and in a good family. Inquire at this office.

WANTED—Children to board in country, desirable home, terms reasonable. Address Box 163, Billerica Centre.

WANTED—Children to board at 457 Lakeview Ave.

CASH PAID for second-hand furniture, also sold and exchanged. Bornstein & Quinn, 118-120 Gorham street.

QUINCY HOUSE, 53 Lee street—Boarders wanted; three square 20c meals for 35c a day, 7 days in the week. James McGregor, prop.

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O'Donnell's hacks are the best in town

A GREAT FINISH

McGovern's 11th Hour Hit Won the Game

A rather small crowd for a Thursday afternoon saw Lowell defeat New Bedford in a good game at Spalding park yesterday afternoon.

The day was an ideal one, and it was expected that there would be a large attendance at the grounds, but owing to the fact that there were a number of counter attractions today and as there will be four games during the week at the park the attendance was rather small.

It was rumored that Count Doe would have five new men from the Worcester team in his lineup yesterday, but when the New Bedford team made its appearance on the diamond this afternoon it had the same men that it has been playing right along.

Lowell played Burbage in right field and Cross did the twirling. Manager Lake as yet not having secured a man to play in the outfield to take the place of Hart, who was released.

Umpire Riva made his first appearance at Spalding park yesterday and he made himself quite prominent by his huge voice. The attendance was about 700 when the umpire called the game at 3.15 o'clock.

FIRST INNING.

Neither side scored in the first inning. It was short and sweet, but seven men coming up to bat, three for New Bedford and four for the home team.

Kehoe was the first man up for New Bedford and the best that he could do was to fly out to Burbage in the right garden. Murphy sent a red hot liner which Fred Lake took care of. Mullaney foul flied and McGovern made a pretty running catch and the side was retired.

Billy Connors was first up for Lowell and he sent a grounder to Murphy and was thrown out at first. Grant popped a fly to Valdois and was the second man out. Bigbie made a pretty single over second base, but was forced out at second on Hickey's grounder to Murphy.

Score—Lowell 0, New Bedford 0.

SECOND INNING.

In the second inning Burrill flied out to Lake and Brown made a Texas leaguer and reached first. Vandergrift "bummed his way" to use the slang of Bob Hart, or in other words received his base on balls. Conroy pop flied to Hickey and Valdois sent a hot grounder to McLaughlin forcing Vandergrift out at second.

Lowell went out in one, two, three order. Lake foul flied to Vandergrift, McLaughlin flied out to Valdois and Burbage fanned the wind three times.

Score—Lowell 0, New Bedford 0.

THIRD INNING.

In the third inning Blatchford and Kehoe found Cross too much for them and the two visitors were retired on strikes. Murphy flied out to Bigbie.

In Lowell's half of the third inning a man got as far as third base, but through good fielding by New Bedford and good pitching by Blatchford Lowell could not score. McGovern was the first man up and "Terrible Terry" singled to right field. Cross bunted intending to sacrifice, but Valdois had to run around McGovern to get the ball, and in so doing missed it and Cross reached first and of course was credited with a hit. Connors hit to Valdois who tagged Cross on the run and threw to first completing a double play. In the meantime McGovern went down to third. Grant drew his base on balls and stole second. Bigbie struck out.

Score—Lowell 0, New Bedford 0.

FOURTH INNING.

In the first of the fourth New Bedford got a man as far as third base but he failed to score. Mullaney was the first man up and he sent a slow grounder along the third base line and Billy Connors by pretty fielding got the ball over to first before Mullaney reached there. Burrill singled to left field. Browne flied out to Grant. Vandergrift sent the ball to right centre for two bases. At this point Burrill had a chance to score, but upon rounding third base he stumbled and fell and had to return to the base. Conroy flied out to Grant.

Lowell went out in quick order in her half of the fourth. Hickey hit to Kehoe and was out at first. Lake foul flied to Kehoe and McLaughlin flied to Browne.

Score—Lowell 0, New Bedford 0.

FIFTH INNING.

Valdois opened the fifth with a fly to Bigbie and the local player after a pretty running catch landed the ball. Blatchford hit to right field. Kehoe flied out to Bigbie and Murphy hit to McLaughlin, forcing Blatchford out at first.

Burbage sent a grounder to Conroy. McGovern sent a red hot liner to Valdois and the latter succeeding in getting the ball down, but he could not recover himself in time to line it over to first and "Terry" reached the first base in safety. Cross received his base on balls. McGovern started to steal third at this point and got half way between the bases when Connors popped a fly to Murphy and before he could get back Murphy sent the ball to second base and made a double play catching McGovern.

Score—Lowell 0, New Bedford 0.

SIXTH INNING.

In the sixth Lowell stopped New Bedford from scoring by gilt edged fielding on the part of Bigbie and Grant. Mullaney hit a line drive to Bigbie and the local fielder made a beautiful running catch. Connors dropped a foul fly sent by Burrill and then Burrill made a single left field, which Bigbie fielded nicely. Browne was the next man up and he hit to right field and Burrill went to second. Vandergrift sent a line drive to short centre and Grant after making a long run, caught the ball and fell to the ground, but he held on to the sphere and sent it down to second in time to catch Burrill, making a double play.

It looked as though Lowell was going to score in the last half of the sixth but they failed to send a man around the bases. Grant flied to Murphy, and Bigbie hit to Valdois and was out at first. Hickey smashed the ball to left field for a pretty single. Lake sent him to third with a two base hit and McLaughlin closed the inning by foul flying to Conroy.

Score—Lowell 0, New Bedford 0.

SEVENTH INNING.

In the seventh inning Bigbie made his fourth pretty running catch during the game, catching a fly off Conroy's bat, who was the first man up for the visitors. Valdois hit to Connors and was out at first. Blatchford received his base on balls. Kehoe closed the inning by flying out to Grant.

Lowell went out in one, two, three order in the seventh. Burbage was the first man up and he fanned out. McGovern flied out to Mullaney and Cross closed the inning by hitting to Blatchford and being thrown out at first.

Score—Lowell 0, New Bedford 0.

EIGHTH INNING.

In the eighth Murphy hit to Cross and died at first. Mullaney singled to left field. Burrill hit along the first base line and was the second man out, Mullaney going to second on the play. Browne fanned out.

Connors was the first out with a fly to Mullaney. Grant flied out to Browne. Bigbie got a pretty single to left field. Hickey was the last man out with a fly to Valdois.

Score—Lowell 0, New Bedford 0.

NINTH INNING.

In the ninth Vandergrift got a single to centre field. Conroy sent him to second with a sacrifice. Valdois hit to Connors and was out at first, while Vandergrift was held at second. Blatchford got a scratch single to left field sending Vandergrift to third base. Blatchford stole second. Kehoe popped a foul fly to McGovern.

Lake opened with a single l ocentre field. McLaughlin was out for bunting the ball on the third strike while trying to sacrifice. Burbage to Murphy forcing Lake out at second. McGovern hit to left centre and Browne making a pretty run for it and in picking up the ball Browne booted it and Burbage came at the way around. The ball was thrown home by Mullaney and the catch muffed it and Burbage scored. There was a kick because Lake was right at home plate at the time but the kick didn't go.

Score—Lowell 1, New Bedford 0.

LOWELL.

	ab.	r.	bh.	tb.	po.	a.	e.
Connors 3b	4	0	0	0	0	3	1
Grant cf	3	0	0	0	4	1	0
Bigbie lf	4	0	2	2	4	0	0
Hickey 2b	4	0	1	1	2	1	0
Lake 1b	4	0	2	3	8	0	0
McLaughlin ss	4	0	0	0	2	1	0
Burbage rf	4	1	0	0	2	0	0
McGovern	4	0	3	3	5	0	0
Cross p	2	0	1	1	0	1	0
Totals	33	1	9	10	27	7	1

NEW BEDFORD.

	ab.	r.	bh.	tb.	po.	a.	e.
Kehoe 3b	5	0	0	0	1	1	0
Murphy ss	4	0	0	0	2	4	0
Mullaney lf	4	0	1	1	2	0	1
Burrill rf	4	0	2	2	0	0	0
Browne cf	4	0	2	2	2	0	1
Vandergrift c	3	0	2	3	4	0	0
Conroy 1b	3	0	0	0	7	0	0
Valdois 2b	4	0	0	0	7	2	0
Blatchford p	3	0	2	2	0	1	0
Totals	34	0	9	10	*25	8	2

*—One man out when winning run was scored.

McLaughlin out for bunting 3rd strike.

Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
New Bedford	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—0
Lowell	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1—1

Summary: Two base hits—Vandergrift, Lake. Bases on balls—Off Cross 2, off Blatchford 2. Strike outs—By Cross 3, by Blatchford 3. Left on bases—Lowell 5, New Bedford 8. Sacrifice hits Conroy. Stolen bases—Grant, Blatchford. Double plays—Valdois and Conroy, Murphy and Valdois, Grant and McLaughlin. Umpire—Riva. Attendance—700. Time of game—1.35.

DIAMOND NOTES.

Fall River at Spalding park today.

It was Terry McGovern's day yesterday all right.

Bigbie and Grant gave a grand exhibition of outfield work. No outfielder in the league returns the ball quicker than Grant.

Little Tommy Burbage wasn't half bad in right field. He accepted his two chances and made the lone run that won the game.

The annual rumor that Bressler is coming back, is going the rounds. Perhaps he wouldn't receive a warm welcome.

Mr. Riva made a good impression yesterday.

Although Manager Fred Doe of the New Bedford team of the New England league announced last night that he had purchased five of Worcester's best players from Manager Kittredge, and that they would go to New Bedford with him this morning, not one of the quintet would accompany him.

At a conference this morning they all decided to remain with the Connecticut league, which has guaranteed the payment of their salaries, and they say they will not be a party to Kittredge's deal, in which he was to receive $1000 for their sale.

As a result of Kittredge's actions, it is hinted that the Connecticut league will take the Worcester franchise from him, and the club may be transferred to Norwich.

According to the reported deal made Doe was to pay $1600 for the five players.

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.

NEW ENGLAND LEAGUE.

	Attendance.
Lowell 1, New Bedford 0	800
Fall River 8, Nashua 6	350
Manchester 3, Haverhill 1	500
Concord 7, Lawrence 2	500

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

	Attendance.
Chicago 5, Boston 3	6300
Washington 5, Cleveland 3	1700
Detroit 6, Philadelphia 5	2500
New York 10, St. Louis 3	2000

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

	Attendance.
Chicago 5, Boston 1	2348
New York 4, St. Louis 3	3500
Pittsburg 5, Philadelphia 1	1430

N. E. LEAGUE STANDING.

	Won	Lost	P. C.
Nashua	23	14	.622
Haverhill	23	14	.622
Lowell	20	16	.555
Concord	13	17	.528
Manchester	18	20	.474
Fall River	17	21	.447
New Bedford	15	23	.395
Lawrence	13	23	.361

AMERICAN LEAGUE STANDING.

	Won	Lost	P.C.
Boston	32	17	.653
Chicago	29	21	.580
New York	27	20	.574
Cleveland	31	21	.596
Philadelphia	25	22	.532
St. Louis	22	23	.489
Detroit	19	27	.413
Washington	9	36	.200

NATIONAL LEAGUE STANDING.

	Won	Lost	P.C.
New York	31	16	.660
Chicago	30	16	.652
Cincinnati	31	18	.633
Pittsburg	25	22	.532
St. Louis	22	23	.489
Brooklyn	21	29	.420
Boston	18	29	.383
Philadelphia	9	34	.206

GAMES TODAY.

NEW ENGLAND LEAGUE.

Fall River at Lowell.
Haverhill at Concord.
New Bedford at Nashua.
Lawrence at Manchester.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Philadelphia at Detroit.
Washington at Cleveland.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Philadelphia at Boston, 10.30 and 2.30.
Brooklyn at New York.
St. Louis at Pittsburg.

BUSINESS MEN VS. PROFESSIONALS.

Business men of the Knights of Columbus defeated the professional men in a baseball match yesterday afternoon in Tyngsboro, 14 to 11.

The game was played on the ball grounds connected with the camp of the local council, an ideal location on the banks of the Merrimack.

REFUSED TO ENDORSE.

CLARKSBURG, W. Va., June 17—The state convention of the Prohibition party refused to endorse Gen. Nelson A. Miles for president, by a big vote, as it did not know him to be a Prohibitionist.

CAME NEAR DYING

From an Awful Skin Humour. Scratched Till Blood Ran. Wasted to Skeleton.

CURED BY CUTICURA

One Application Soothed Him to Sleep. Cure Speedy and Permanent.

"When my little boy was about three months old his head broke out with a rash, which was very itchy and ran considerable watery fluid. We tried everything we could, but he got worse all the time till it spread to his arms, legs, and then to his entire body, and he got so bad that he came near dying. The rash would itch so that he would scratch till the blood ran, and a thin yellowish stuff would be all over his pillow in the morning. I had to put mittens on his hands to keep him from tearing his skin around his wrists. He got so weak and run down that he took fainting spells like we would think him dying. He was almost a skeleton and his little hands were thin like claws.

"He was bad about eight months when we tried Cuticura Remedies. I had not laid him down in his cradle in the daytime for a long time. He had got so that he just slept in our arms all the time. I washed him with Cuticura Soap and put on one application of Cuticura Ointment and he was so soothed that I put him in the cradle. You don't know how glad I felt when he felt better. It took one box of Cuticura Ointment, pretty near one cake of Cuticura Soap, and about half a bottle of Cuticura Resolvent, to cure. I think our little boy would have died only for the Cuticura Remedies, and I shall always remain a firm friend of them."

MRS. M. C. MAITLAND, JASPER, ONTARIO.

No return in 14 years. Mrs. Maitland writes, under date of Feb. 24, 1903, that the cure is permanent.

"It affords me much pleasure to inform you that it is fourteen years since my boy was cured of the terrible skin disease from which he suffered.

"He has been permanently cured and is hearty and strong."

Sold throughout the world. Cuticura Resolvent, 50c. (in form of Chocolate Coated Pills, 25c. per vial of 60), Ointment, 50c., Soap, 25c. Depots: London, 27 Charterhouse Sq.; Paris, 5 Rue de la Paix; Boston, 137 Columbus Ave. Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Sole Proprietors.

Send for "How to Cure Every Humour."

Lightening the Cost of Summer Hosiery

Two remarkable offerings that cannot be duplicated elsewhere in New England.

Lace Lisle, drop stitch, black hose, high spliced heel and toe, embroidered in white, blue and red silk. Other stores would advertise them special at 25 cents.

Silk finished, imported Maco thread, lace lisle hose, narrowed foot and heavy sole, extra elastic top, high spliced heel and toe. Always sold before for 25 cents.

Your choice while they last 12½c

They are for prompt folks only.

The White Store

114—Merrimack Street—116

A. G. POLLARD & CO.

WE GIVE DARK BLUE TRADING STAMPS

Continuation of Our Great Bargain Sale of 140,000 Yards

Fine Printed Dimities

The crowd which filled our basement departments yesterday indicates that the buying public appreciate a good bargain, stylish patterns, fast colors, and convenient lengths for **Dresses, Waists, Kimonas and Children's Dresses.**

Fine Madras Batiste worth 12 1-2c, Fine Bourette Dimity worth 10c, all at the unprecedented low price of only

3½c Per Yard

ANOTHER SPECIAL BARGAIN IN OUR BASEMENT SHOE DEPARTMENT

Our Annual Sale of Slightly Imperfect Ladies' Slippers Will Commence

- - THIS MORNING - -

NEARLY 3000 PAIRS DIRECT FROM THE MANUFACTURER AT ONLY

59c a Pair

Regular price from $1.00 to $3.00 a pair. Imperfections are slight and do not affect the wearing qualities.

A. G. POLLARD & CO.

Merrimack, Palmer and Middle Streets

Big Bargain Sale

-AT-

COOPER'S

It will be a RECORD BREAKING Bargain Sale indeed! To tell the TRUTH we are not giving you the great bargains WILLINGLY. We are obliged to! Our bills are coming due and they must be paid, or there'll be TROUBLE. We have a great deal of goods to sell, and a great many bills coming due which must be paid, and we have only two short weeks before the Fourth in which to do it. Now if you wish to find out if we really are telling you the truth, and also what will interest you more, if we are really giving you GREAT BARGAINS, come and see, as seeing is believing. DON'T believe us. DON'T leave it to your neighbor to tell you of the GREAT BARGAINS she got AT COOPER'S. DON'T miss the GREAT BARGAIN SALE AT COOPER'S. Follow the crowd. You'll never regret it. The prices are marked down so low and we are really giving such great bargains that it would take too much space to describe them. And you could hardly believe us, so you had better come and SEE. Then you will be the best judge. Come early to avoid the crowd. The Big Sale will begin at 8.30 a. m.

The Reliable Cooper's Cloak and Suit Store

Merrimack Street, Near Merrimack House

Our Motto—High Grade Goods at Low Prices

The people like our Clothes and our Methods, consequently we have this season enjoyed more business than ever before in the history of the house.

Double Green, Dark Blue, Red, White and Blue National Discount Trading Stamps Saturday

Here's the Whole Story:

Our business this season in spite of the cool, rainy weather, has been phenomenal, and naturally we find that our large stock embraces today many broken lines of Suits, resulting from our brisk spring selling.

These we have decided to close out AT ONCE if low prices will do it. You'll be amazed at what good clothes a few dollars will buy here today. Words are useless; you must come in person and see for yourself. Here are a few details:

135 Suits that were $8, $10 and $12 To Close, Today and Saturday **$4.95**

275 Suits that were $13.50, $15, $16.50 To Close Today and Saturday **$7.75**

169 Suits that were $18, $19 and $20, To Close, Today and Saturday **$9.75**

210 Suits that were $22, $25 and $28 To Close Today and Saturday **$14.75**

The Best Blue Serge Suit Stock in the State

The world-famed Oswego Blue Serge, Hockanum Blue Serge, Washington Mills Blue Serge, Lymanville Blue Serge, in undressed and hard-faced; made in single and double breasted — B. Kuppenheimer & Co.'s famous suits and New York's best makers' productions. Hundreds to choose from at - - - **$10, $12, $15, $18**

265 Boys' Two-Piece Double-Breasted Suits; sizes up to 16 years; that were $3.00, $3.50 and $4.00—to close at once at **$1.98**

200 dozen Men's Fine Negligee Shirts, in all up-to-the-minute styles. These Shirts are $1.00 values. Special today **69c**

500 White and Fancy Vests at 50c on the dollar. "Vests for the Smart Set" in all the newest effects. The best values ever offered, **95c, $1.23, $1.69, $1.95, $2.38**

The largest Underwear Stock in the city; Union Suits or two-piece silk weaves, Derby weaves, linen mesh, fancy and plain, **19c to $2**

LOWELL ONE-PRICE CLOTHING CO.

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THE LOWELL SUN

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SWORN CIRCULATION OF THE SUN

The sworn daily average circulation of The Lowell Sun for the year 1903, was **14,590** A gain of 1083 copies per day over the average for the year of 1902.

Sworn to by John H. Harrington, proprietor, Martin H. Reidy, business manager, and Alfred Pilotte, pressman of The Sun, before me, January 1, 1904. JOHN J. HOGAN, Notary Public.

14,900 The sworn daily average circulation for five months of 1904 was: **14,900**

☞This is a larger circulation than the combined circulation of all the other daily papers in Lowell.

☞An advertisement placed in The Sun is of more value to the advertiser than if it were inserted in all othe ther newspapers in Lowell, and the cost of inserting it in The Sun is about ONE THIRD the price charged by the other papers.

WANTS TO BE KING.

The bandit captor of Perdecaris now demands the cession of several provinces of Morocco and protection in his right to rule them by two other powers with the United States. Verily it is time to land the marines.

There are few offenses which are more far reaching in their evil effects than the subornation of perjury. The officials of the Boston Mutual Life Insurance company who were fined $500 each for making false returns, get barely their deserts. Six months or a year in jail would have a wholesome effect.

THE LATE EX-SENATOR O'SULLIVAN.

The death of our esteemed friend, Edward F. O'Sullivan of Lawrence, a former member of The Sun staff, a brilliant writer, and a man of great versatility, will bring sorrow to many hearts here in Lowell; for so genial, cordial and witty, so cheerful and so honorable was the deceased, so strong in friendship, so averse to cherishing ill will towards any human being that of him it may well be said:

"None knew him but to love him,
Nor named him but to praise."

WILL BE TRUE TO THE TRUSTS.

The selection of Philander S. Knox for senator to succeed Mr. Quay of Pennsylvania shows the character of his constituency. He has been the faithful friend of the trusts. He never made a move against them except when forced to do so and his record in this respect has commended him to the trust magnates of Pennsylvania, Frick, the steel magnate, Cassatt and Cameron.

As United States senator Knox may be expected to keep up his record as a tool of the trusts. Mr. Moody, who is to succeed him, is a man after Roosevelt's own heart but too much of a republican to disturb the trusts.

BOARD OF SETTLEMENT IN LYNN.

The shoe workers and manufacturers of Lynn are showing signs of returning reason. For a long time the slightest difference between the workmen and their employers was the signal for a strike. Now, however, a board of settlement has been formed consisting of three members from each side to consider differences arising from time to time between the manufacturers and their employes. They can thus consider the various points at issue before reaching the strike stage and before any bitter feeling has been engendered on either side. This plan is copied from the system adpoted in the Pennsylvania coal strike. There is no reason why it should not be successful.

GUBERNATORIAL STOCK FELL.

Practical Politics of Boston has the following comment in regard to the fall of gubernatorial stock:

"It is interesting to note that from the beginning of the session to the closing hours thereof the gubernatorial stock fell steadily and reached its lowest point when two-thirds of the members of the branches decided in favor of the bounty bill, notwithstanding his objections thereto. During the session the governor vetoed 15 bills. These were generally sustained by wide margins. The senate, however, came within four votes of passing over his veto the bill to incorporate the Massachusetts Casualty company. Comparatively speaking the house came nearer to success in an attempt to override the veto of the so-called overtime bill, which prohibited the employment of women and minors in textile establishments after 6 in the evening or before 6 in the morning. The veto of the bounty bill was received in practically the closing hour and the situation created was very similar to that of a year ago, when, in the last moment, Gov. Bates sent in his veto of the Wakefield trunk line sewer."

The fall in gubernatorial stock is what might be expected when the governor became so meddlesome towards the legislature, showing a desire to dominate everything.

WONDERFUL FEAT OF RAPID JOURNALISM.

The Sun furnishes the people of Lowell with one of the best exhibitions of rapid journalism ever given in the United States every day a ball game is played at Spalding park. The ball grounds are but twelve minutes' ride from Merrimack square and as soon as the game is over there is a rush for the cars which are waiting on the tracks ready to start. Invariably when the cars reach Merrimack square the people are met by newsboys selling the sporting edition of The Sun with a full account of the game in every detail, the full box score, the score by innings and in some instances pictures illustrating the features of the game, the whole making almost a page of matter descriptive of the game. Other newspapers cannot understand how it is done. There are very few in the country that could do it. No similar feat has ever been attempted even in Boston. It is a lesson in journalism that is attracting wide attention not only in Lowell but throughout the state. In other cities it takes hours to get out such an account of a ball game. The Sun is the only paper in Lowell, or it might be said in Massachusetts, capable of performing such a feat.

LODGE AS AN ARTFUL DODGER.

The chief feature of the approaching republican convention will be Senator Lodge's method of dodging the reciprocity issue. Already Mr. Lodge has attained the reputation of the artful dodger on this as on various other questions. The great friend of the late President McKinley and the great protectionist now opposes the scheme for reciprocity which McKinley advocated in his last public utterance.

Another piece of evasion which the republicans will find necessary will be in regard to the trust issue. This will tax the ambidexterity even of so clever a manuipulator as Senator Lodge but it can be done by verbosity and circumlocution, by framing sentences which mean nothing or by statements only to be nullified by conditional phrases or by mystifying the readers by glittering generalities which in reality mean nothing. It would be just as honest to make a good platform and ignore it openly after election as to take the other method of gulling the public. Mark Hanna said platforms were not made to be followed and the admission proved him to be a more honest man than is Senator Lodge, or those who are now the exponents of republican policy upon public questions.

The republicans, however, can be relied upon to accomplish their object in a platform of equivocations that will serve but to mislead and mystify the voters upon the public issues of the hour, as they are adepts at the construction of such platforms.

PUTNAM & SON CO.

166 Central Street

HERE IS YOUR

SUMMER OUTING SUIT

cool and good looking clothes—that are properly made up, that will hold their shape, and these suits that are made right cost no more than suits that are made wrong.

Outing Suits, coats and trousers. The coats smart cut with built up shoulders and mohair fronts. Trousers of the proper fullness at the thigh, with permanent turn-up or without, of light flannels, new effects in tropical weight unfinished worsteds, homespuns and loosely woven light cheviots, from Rogers, Peet & Co. and our own shop, for $18, $15, $12, $10, as low as **$5**

Men's Outing Trousers, made from light homespuns and light flannels, full through the thigh as these should be. **$2, $2.50, $3, up to $5**

$6.50 for Men's Summer Suits that have sold for $10 to $15

YOU who know this store, know that suits are never bought to sell here for six dollars and a half. This is a collection that embraces all of the small remainders of suits that were brought to sell and did sell for $10, $12 and $15.

It is a gathering of blue serge, fancy cheviot and fancy worsted suits that were excellent values at the prices first marked—but we have no place for little lots of three to six suits of a kind—so gather them all into one lot and mark them at one price. There are sizes 34 to 46, regulars, stouts and longs, of some style or other. Pick today from this collection of $10 to $15 suits for . **$6.50**

$20 for Rogers-Peet's Fine Suits

Instead of $25, $28 and $30

The handsomest lot we have ever shown

OUR sales of Rogers-Peet's suits for twenty dollars have been remarkable; it is a price for which we sell hundreds of their suits every season. We believed that we had made ample provision of these suits to carry us to July 1st--but, here in the middle of June we find the assortment so broken, that to make our twenty dollar lots what we think they should be, we have reduced prices on several lots of Rogers-Peet's most expensive suits.

It is a rare opportunity you have, to pick from the choicest styles of Rogers-Peet's sack and walking coats that sold for $25, $28 and $30, that we've marked today **$20**

Bargains in the Boys' Department

Boys' $5.00 and $6.00 Three Piece Suits for $3.50

Sixty splendid suits, the broken lots that sold for five and six dollars.

Neat dark patterns in cassimeres and cheviots, single breast jacket, vest and short trousers, all wool every one of them. Nicely cut and made in first rate shape. These suits to fit boys 10 to 16 years—all marked from $5 and $6 to only **$3.50**

Bovs' $3.00 Suits $1.50

Ninety suits to fit boys from 8 years to 15—of strictly all wool blue cheviot. These are brand new suits that we have just bought for half what they are worth. Latest cut, long roll double breast jacket with short trousers—as nice fitting suits as were ever put on to a boy. Well tailored and new—instead of three dollars— **$1.50**

WASH SUITS AT HALF PRICE

We bought a good big lot of sample wash suits from an excellent maker a few weeks ago—bought them at a figure that enables us to sell them for nearly half what they ought to bring—materials are Galateas, crashes and woven fabrics. Some of them got a little tumbled in handling as samples, but they're all practically in good shape. We offer these wash sailor suits today as below:

Wash Suits, regular price 75c, for 35c.
Wash Suits, regular price $1.00 for 50c.
Wash Suits, regular price $2.00 for $1.00
Wash Suits, regular price $3.00 for $1.50

JOINT EXERCISES

At the Howe School in Billerica

ANNUAL GRADUATION OF THIS YEAR'S CLASS

And Eighth Reunion of School Association

The annual graduation of the Howe school at Billerica and the eighth annual reunion of the Howe school association was held yesterday afternoon at the town hall and from every viewpoint it was one of the most successful affairs held by the association since the introduction of the joint exercises. It was the largest gathering of past members of the school ever seen in the hall and the attendance of relatives and friends of the graduating class was larger this year than ever before. The large attendance seemed to add energy to the commencement exercises which were very interesting and entertaining.

The graduation class numbered ten and the graduates were at their best. Four of them completed four year courses and the remaining six were three year scholars. The able manner in which the graduates acquitted themselves was productive of a great many flattering comments that were aimed at the principal and his assistants.

The annual dinner and business meeting of the association took place during the latter part of the forenoon and the closing feature, the annual ball, was held in the evening and the greatness of the pleasure it afforded was in keeping with the unusual interest manifested in every item of the day's proceedings.

The town hall was beautifully decorated for the occasion and the stage fairly groaned under its load of potted plants, flowers and blossoms. The platform was occupied by the graduation class and the teachers. The exercises opened at 2.30 with the strains of sweet music by Hibbard's orchestra.

Divine blessing was invoked by Rev. Edgar S. Wiers. A brilliant essay which bespoke more than ordinary ability of its author, with "Theodore Roosevelt" as its theme, was then delivered in admirable manner by Wilbur Irving Bull, the class vice-president. The youthful speaker did himself, his class and his teachers credit in this essay.

Miss Rena E. Parker, the class secretary, then read an interesting paper on the history of the outgoing class since its advent to the school. She also recited the class prophecy, which was very clever.

The class oration, a sketch of the great oil trust, with a vividly drawn picture of the business principles of its president, John D. Rockefeller, entitled "The Rise of the Standard Oil Company," was then delivered by Ralph Eric Manning, the class treasurer.

The valedictory, clever in construction and delivery, by Miss Doris Kohlrausch, was next. She took for her theme the class motto, "Graviora Remanent," which translated means "Things More Serious Remain," and emphasizes the fact that the future held more serious things in store for them. Miss Kohlrausch was well received.

The diplomas were then conferred by Rev. Edgar S. Wiers. In presenting the diplomas to the graduating class, Mr. Wiers said: "The old town has given you all it has, in an educational point of view. All its educational privileges have been extended to you. It has done its best by you. You are the children of the 250th year of the town and all its honor and pride in the years to come rests with you. Do it justice."

Diplomas were then presented to the following:

Four Years' Course—Doris Kohlrausch, Wilbur Irving Bull, Rena E. Parker, Ralph Eric Manning.

Three Years' Course—George Anthony Campbell, Florence Abby Colby, Flora Belle Crosby, Hilda Holman, Thurza May McLean, Evangeline Elsie Thaxter.

J. NELSON PARKER.

J. Nelson Parker, for the trustees of the school, spoke with reference to the standing of the schools. He said that when Dr. Howe endowed the school it was his desire that it would serve as a stepping-stone to a higher education. He was glad to state that not less than 50 per cent. of the graduates were going to a higher educational institution.

He said the fifty years since the first class went out of the school have wrought a change in the world's knowledge. To fit a pupil for college today means more than it did a half century ago. The trustees are gratified because of the good showing that is being made.

Mr. Parker then announced that the trustees had decided to add another teacher to the corps of instructors and thus enable the classes to receive more attention from the teachers. He announced, too, that changes would be made in the school building during the summer and arrangements would be made for a new room.

Mr. Parker then introduced Rev. Alexander McKenzie, D. D., of Cambridge, who delivered the address to the graduates.

DR. McKENZIE.

Dr. McKenzie congratulated the trustees of the school on the thriving condition in which its fifty-first year found it and stated that he was always pleased to talk to the young people. He spoke of the educational advantages enjoyed by the young men and women of today and put forth some excellent advice for the young minds to ponder over. He laid especial stress on the fact that one must plan for the future in order to achieve ultimate success in life. The present should be well looked to but deference should go to the future at all times.

"We want to avail ourselves of the advantages of what men have done," he said. "We must make use of what has been wrought out by our predecessors. Use your public library. Visit it frequently, secure its books and get knowledge they contain. But understand that no matter how extensive the list of volumes in the public library, and no matter how much you patronize it, you would do better to secure a few books of your own. Read them through with care, and you'll see things you want to remember or refer to on some occasion. Mark your books. Yes, deface the margin down the page. It's simply illustrating them. Get a new book as often as you can, conveniently or otherwise. If it's a question of a new coat or a new book, get the book.

"If your only ambition in life is to accumulate money, I hope you'll have a hard time of it. You ought to hate yourselves if that is your ambition. Live to allow other people to live and then I shall wish that you may have a grand place.

"It doesn't make any difference what you are today or what you may be tomorrow; what will you be when you're seventy? That's what you should think of. Get into something where there is opportunity for expansion. I don't care whether you sell corn-balls or Standard Oil, there are possibilities in both, so get into one or the other.

"I never saw or heard of a man failing to get ahead who had anything in him. Be considerate to others. Deal with persons in such manner that they'll want to deal with you on another occasion. Have courage. I believe fear has cheated more men out of position and fortune than rash acts. More of them lose fortunes through fear than through recklessness.

"There would be no pleasure in life without experiencing an occasional, or continual risk. You young men and women have magnificent opportunities to do something that has never been accomplished. It does seem that everything possible has been done. Here's a suggestion. Form a republic. Take all the nations of the earth and teach the people to talk your tongue. Take their flags, tear them up and weave the fragments into the Star Spangled Banner. It's a great thing, and it never has been done. Go out; work, and see what's in you."

The exercises closed with a selection by the orchestra.

RECEPTION BY CLASS.

Following the graduation exercises the graduating class held a reception in the hall and this continued until six o'clock. At that hour the annual dinner to the members of the Howe School Association and to the graduating class was given in the banquet hall on the first floor and 125 persons gathered around the festive board.

After the menu was discussed President Kohlrausch called to order at 7.25, and called upon Treasurer Natt H. Hutchins for his annual report. Mr. Hutchins submitted a brief report which told of the thriving condition of the association.

The election of officers was next in order. On the first ballot, by acclamation, Charles H. Kohlrausch, Jr., who served as president last year, was re-elected.

Practically all of the former officers were also re-elected, with the exception that Mr. Warren L. Floyd was chosen a vice president, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Mr. Hugh Cochrane. The vice presidents now are: J. Frank Casey, Otis S. Brown, Warren L. Floyd, T. Frank Lyons was re-elected secretary, and Natt H. Hutchins treasurer; and the executive committee for the ensuing year is as follows:

Herbert A. King, Miss Grace L. Knowles, Miss Mary E. F. Shea, Mrs. S. A. Bull, Miss Mary L. Morey, Joseph Jaquith, Harry G. Sheldon, Neil E. Mahoney, Homer H. Colby, Miss Oliva H. Norcross, John A. Richardson, Ralph E. Manning.

The death of the first vice president, Mr. Hugh Cochrane, was announced by President Kohlrausch, and the members of the association were requested to stand, as a tribute of respect to him, while the cornetist played a solemn requiem.

Following the business meeting, which closed with the elections, the post prandial exercises were opened by Mr. Kohlrausch. Mr. Kohlrausch spoke in a reminiscent strain of his school days away back in '63, and cited many instances in his school career which amused the gathering.

The other speakers were J. Frank Casey, class of '57; Warren L. Floyd, class of '58; George Greenwood, '64; Fred Casey, '59; Eugene C. Vining of the Howe school; E. C. Davis, a former principal; J. Nelson Parker and Rev. Edgar S. Weirs. The chairman read a letter of regret from Rev. Fr. Frank E. Rogers of the class of '89, who could not attend.

Commencing at 10 o'clock and continuing until midnight dancing was enjoyed and about 75 couples participated.

At the close of the function special cars left for Bedford, Lexington, Arlington, Wilmington, East Billerica, North Billerica and this city.

Have you guessed on the world's fair contest at the Merrimack? It costs nothing to guess and you may win $25.

INJURIES PROVED FATAL.

USINGEN, Prussia, June 17.—Baron Leiterberger, the Austrian automobilist, who was reported to be suffering from concussion of the brain as the result of an accident in one of yesterday's runs, preliminary to the race for the James Gordon Bennett cup, died this morning. His car skidded at a corner and was overturned into a ditch.

Voile, cheviot and mohair dress skirts in black and blue; were $5.00 to $7.50, selling at $3.85, Merrimack Clothing Co. —Women's Dept.

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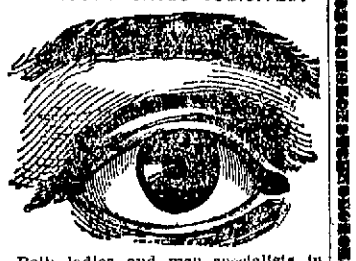

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50 with 1 lb. Mocha and Java Coffee at 35c.
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Don't forget we give 2 for 1 on all sales of $1.00 or over for ten days, and our prices the lowest and goods the best that money can buy. Remember when you get Red, White and Blue Stamps and the S. & H. Green Stamps you get a gold mine for the asking. Mail or telephone orders attended to.

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This is **Boys' Week** at the

Merrimack

Is your boy about to graduate, or be confirmed? Have you decided where that suit is to be bought? Do you know that the Merrimack carries the best stock of good clothes for boys in town?

It's a strong assertion, but we are prepared to prove it. We want every mother in Lowell with boys to clothe to look into it for herself.

We handle boys' clothes of reliable make and quality only—we sell them at a close profit margin—we are cultivating the good will of the mothers—we recognize her influence in the family, and we appeal to her with values, strong merchandise values, that, when compared with competitors' showing, results in business for this store.

We want every mother in Lowell to become acquainted with our boys' department—it's in the rear of the new women's department—just off the main store, and is a comfortable place to shop in.

You can come here today and tomorrow expecting unusual values in boys' clothes—you won't be disappointed.

Read the items mentioned today, and, by the way, let the boy guess on the World's Fair Contest. He may win that $25 prize.

BOYS' Black Suits

For Graduations, Confirmations, etc.

At $2.00

Boys' Two-Piece Suits of Black Worsted Cheviot—all pure wool and worsted and well made—the pants have taped seams and are half lined—the usual price is $3.00. These were secured last week at a closing price and are offered a dollar less than regular.

At $3.00

Boys' Two-Piece Black Clay Suits—all pure worsted—the new shape double breasted jacket and splendidly made. You'll find many stores asking $4.00 for this grade.

At same price, a small lot of blue and dark mixed serge, three-piece suits, marked from $5.00, $6.00 and $7.50.

At $5.00

Boys' Three-Piece Suits of Black Clay or Unfinished Worsted—also Black and Blue Unfinished Worsteds of Shuman make, marked from $8.00.

At $7.50

Boys' Three-Piece Suits of Black and Blue Unfinished Worsted, including many that sold at $10.00

White Shield Bows, *10 Cents*

White Silk Windsor Ties, *15c, 25c*

White Gloves, *10 Cents*

Black Hose, *12 1-2c, 25c*

HAVE YOU GUESSED ON THE World's Fair CONTEST?

A prize of $25.00 will be given to the person guessing nearest the exact number of votes cast by the winner of Trip No. 1.

Everybody is welcome to guess—no purchase necessary.

Here's the way it looks today:—

TRIP NO. 1.

Charles Harrington, Mathew Temperance Institute.....29,998
Peter A. Clune, Knights of Columbus and Industry Council, R. A.....16,475
"Connie" Cronin, C. Y. M. L. and Celtics.....16,194
Homer L. P. Turcotte, Rochambeau Council, R. A., C. M. A. C.....4,053
A. E. Rountree, Industry Council, R. A., Court Middlesex, F. of A., Y. M. C. I...2,228
John Quincy Adams, Holy Name, St. Patrick's.....85

TRIP NO. 2.

Margaret Roark.....6,237
Leda Methot.....5,083
Mabel Connors.....40

The contest ends July 30—the guessing closes one week earlier.

Big Selling of

BOYS' Wash Suits

Some mothers who have come to this store for the first time this season have been surprised at our large showing of Wash Suits for boys. They didn't think such a stock was carried in Lowell.

In addition to the usual style of Wash Suits, you'll find here dainty, exclusive effects and good choosing such as you'll not find in any other Lowell store.

For the little fellow the Russian Blouse Suit has a big showing—white duck, pique, fancy Madras, Galateas and Crashes, daintily trimmed, with sailor, cadet or Buster Brown collar.

For the older boys the Sailor Suit is shown in over thirty styles. These are made with sailor, cadet or eton collars; the latter with blouse trousers. The materials are about the same as in the Russian.

Russian Suits are priced at

75c, $1, $1.50, $2, $2.50, $3.00

Sailor Suits,

50c, 75c, $1, $1.50, $2, $2.50, $3

Boys' Waists

The biggest showing in town of the celebrated K. & E. Waists; the best fitting waist made.

The Shirt Blouse, to wear with white collar, is the leading style. These are shown in Percales and Madras Cloth; laundered and unlaundered,

50c, 75c, $1

The same style with attached collars.

A pretty style for little fellows, 3 to 8 years, has an eton collar; this comes in several styles of cloth and is priced at

$1.50

The cadet collar style is shown largely in plain white, fancy Madras, Percales and Linen. Prices

50c, 75c, $1, $1.50

A lot of fine Madras and Percale Waists, with sailor collars, selling at $1.00, are marked to

50c

3 to 8 years.

A lot of Fine Striped Madras Waists, with small collar, worth 50c, is selling at

25c

10 to 15 years.

Wash Pants, in white duck, crash and striped fabrics,

25c, 50c

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SUPERIOR COURT

James Calnin Violated the Liquor Law

AND WAS ORDERED TO PAY FINE OF $100

John B. Clancy Had His Case Continued

In the superior criminal court at East Cambridge, yesterday before Judge Lawton, James Calnin was fined $100 for violation of the liquor law. This fine is the same as was imposed by Judge Hadley in the police court. The seizure at Mr. Calnin's place was made shortly after the no-license regime and was by far the largest seizure of the year. It will be remembered that a few days prior to the first of May the officers went to Mr. Calnin's place of business in Lakeview avenue and sealed up whatever liquors he had on hand. A few weeks later the raid was made and the police found that some of the liquors were missing and what was left was removed to the police station and a store house in Dutton street.

The defense offered by the defendant was that he did not know that liquors sealed by the police were being disturbed. John J. Harvey appeared for Mr. Calnin.

CONTINUED TO SEPTEMBER.

The case of John B. Clancy, charged with the violation of the liquor laws, was continued to the September term of the superior court. The police visited Mr. Clancy's home during the latter part of the no-license year and seized 30 cases of lager beer and ale. In police court he was found guilty. He was fined $200 and sentenced to the common jail for two months.

PLEADED NOLO CONTENDERE.

Michael Dalton through counsel J. J. O'Connor, pleaded nolo contendere to a complaint charging him with violation of the liquor law and his case was placed on file upon the filing of affidavits.

Silk Shirt Waist Suits at $8.75, $10.98, $13.50 and $15.00. Special values at Chris. Holmes' Specialty Store, 124-126 Merrimack street.

Tobacco brown, champagne, gun metal gray—all the new neckwear shades in keiser barathea—the best wearing neckwear silk, 50c. at the Merrimack.

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We will pledge our honor that there is not a big store in Lowell or Boston that sells at such low prices as we do. How do we do it? Simply this: Our expenses are small, we buy in large quantities for spot cash, so as to get the best discount possible. Our goods are of the best quality. We carry the "Queen" brand Muslin Underwear, best in the market; kid and fabric gloves in all of the new shades, Latest in Ladies' Neckwear. Hosiery in great variety.

Belts and Bags—latest out.

Bargains in Ribbons—Taffeta, all of the best shades, No. 5 and 9, 15c Yard; 22 and 40, 10c Yard.

Wide Lace Collars at very low prices.

We have the self-adjusting Skirt Supporter and Waist Extender. It gives a beautiful shapely and graceful figure; also Victory Pinett Girdle Former.

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A fine quality Fancy Figured Percale, lace insertion, worth $3.00 . . . . Our price $1.98

Sateens at $2.98 and $3.98

In polka dots, piped with white, excellent style, at $2.98

Pure Linen Suits in cape effect, piped with blue, value $6.50, ... Our price $3.98

P. S. All graduation dresses greatly reduced.

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See the special value in plain colors and stripes, $11.98

WAISTS Thousands to Choose From WAISTS

See the Ginghams at 38c, worth 75c.
See the Lawns at 49c, worth 98c.
See the Lawns in Bertha Effects, Plain and Insertion at 98c, worth $1.49.
Others $1.98, $2.98, $3.98 and up.

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$2.98 Children's Coats $2.98

Any Coat in our store. Some were $7.98. Pongee, Peau de Soie and plain cloths, your choice at $2.98.

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MONSTER PICNIC

6000 Persons at Willow Dale Yesterday

Fully 6000 persons attended the picnic of Highland Council, R. A., at Willow Dale yesterday and a delightful time was enjoyed.

One of the big features of the day was the ball game won by the All Stars, 6 to 2. The teams were as follows:

All Stars—Hervey, Robitaille, Maynard, Foss, W. Riley, Donahue, Williams, Whitney.

Has Beens—Beaglar, Zimmer, Christian, Hutchins, Greig, Langevin Cooney, M. Ridley, J. Ridley.

The various sporting events were as follows.

100 yards dash, 1st prize M. F. Rynne; 2d, Al. Cooney.

Three legged race, Freeman Hallett, and Tom Farrell; second prize, Charles Donahue and J. Ridley.

Running broad jump, 1st J. McCarthy; 2d, Freeman Hallett; 3d James Frakas.

Men's boat race—1st, H. L. Woodman; 2d, William Zimmer.

Ladies' boat race, 1st, Miss Minnie Edwards; 2nd, Mrs. Robitaille.

Ladies' 50 yard sprint, 1st, Miss Mary Quirbach; 2d Maisel Ridley.

Boys' 100 yards dash, 1st William Broadbent; 2d, Russell, Gandette.

Useful prizes were awarded the winners.

Considerable difficulty was experienced in accommodating such an enormous crowd, but everything went off smoothly much to the credit of the managers.

The committee on sports was: James V. Greig and George Grady.

Those in charge of the outing were: Chairman, George E. Hutchins, E. F. Maynard, and W. Zimmer.

BY "REST CURE"

MARSHALL FIELD, JR., SAVED FROM DEATH.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., June 17.—Marshall Field, Jr., son of Chicago's wealthiest citizen, has been saved from death after a month's struggle by the "rest cure" treatment of Dr. S. Weir Mitchell of this city. Heir to a fortune estimated at over $100,000,000, young Mr. Field became seriously ill in Chicago this spring. The best physicians of that city studied his case, which was one of nervous breakdown, but held out little hope of permanent recovery. He was advised to place himself under Dr. Mitchell, and did so. The exact nature of his complaint is not made known.

Special shirt waist sale at the Merrimack Clothing Co. $1.50 waists selling at $1.00—Women's Dept.

TAKE HIS CHOICE

METCALF CAN PICK HIS CABINET JOB.

WASHINGTON, June 17.—An intimation received here last night from Oakland, Cal., the home of Representative Victor H. Metcalf, states that he has been offered his choice of the post of secretary of the navy and secretary of commerce and labor. This cannot be verified here, but is deemed probable, although it is seldom that a man is given his choice of two portfolios.

Women's fancy grey hosiery, regular 50-cent values, at 3 pairs for $1.00, Merrimack Clothing Co.

CECIL ADAMS

WILL APPEAR IN ROLE OF BAREBACK RIDER.

The success of the country circus, to be held at the Fair Grounds on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday nights of next week, in aid of the country week fund, is already assured.

There has been a most gratifying advance sale of tickets at Mr. Ellingwood's store, and inquiries have been received from three of the suburban towns.

More "talent" was engaged for the performance yesterday. Cecil L. Adams, the former Adonis of the city council, and more recently of the legislature, will appear in a daring bareback act. He will ride an untamed steed. A real bareback rider has also been secured in New York, and he will bring a trained horse with him.

Edmund B. Conant will be the ringmaster. He knows all about horses, and is one of the crack whips of the Vesper-Country club.

Joseph Seabury, who made such a hit in the last Colonial hall play, is to appear in the unique character of the "Happy Hoodlum." It is expected that this act alone will attract Boston people to the performance.

The "tent" will meet in Colonial hall tonight, and all of the talent is expected to be present.

Four waterproof tents will be used for the performance, and a big side show is being organized.

Japanese silk shirt waists, tailored effects, worth $2.50, for $1.98, at the Merrimack—Women's Dept.

EXTREME PENALTY

CHARLES CANNON GETS FIFTEEN YEARS.

NEW YORK, June 17.—Charles K. Cannon, supreme court commissioner of Hoboken, who was found guilty of charges made by young girls, was sentenced yesterday in the county court of Jersey City to 15 years in state prison and to pay a fine of $1000, the extreme penalty. Judge Blair said:

"It is a painful duty to sentence you on a charge of this nature, and from your education, environment and means it is incomprehensible to me why you should be guilty of such an offence. You must be either of unsound mind, morally depraved, or else you are a scoundrel."

Cannon's son stood by his side while sentence was being pronounced. Pending the filing of a writ of error, Cannon was released on his old bail of $10,000.

HARRISON WILL FIGHT.

CHICAGO, June 17.—Mayor Carter H. Harrison and his political managers yesterday decided to contest before the democratic national committee five of the Chicago districts. The mayor has legal advice to the effect that in the event of the ten delegates, including the mayor himself being seated as delegates, they will not be bound by the Hearst instructions adopted by the democratic state convention at Springfield, Ill.

William Taft of Gorham st. has gone to New York for a two weeks' vacation.

SULTAN YIELDS

Bandit Fraissouli Gets a Governorship

TANGIER, Morocco, June 17.—Fraissouli's new demand in the governorship of four large tribes, which extend from the gates of Tangier nearly to Larache and Alcazar, covering some 500 square miles. The Moorish government concedes this demand, which means that European ministers will be brought into direct diplomatic communication with Fraissouli in all cases which concern the districts in question.

Fraissouli's post as governor will mean, if the usual etiquette is followed, amicable exchanges of visits with the ministers as soon as he takes up his appointment. This demand is not publicly known, but will cause consternation in Tangier and the districts in question, which always have been against Fraissouli, and where, by this arrangement, he will be free to carry out his vindictive intentions against his supposed enemies to his heart's content, without the possibility of any restraint. It is not certain he will not make further demands.

The Moorish government gives another example of its sublime incapacity. Having disbanded one army at Fraissouli's demand, it has now sent here another force of 600 men and some cavalry. This act entirely cancels the disbanding of the troops and will appear to Fraissouli as treachery and scarcely can fail to delay the release of the prisoners. The Moorish governments' intention to send these troops was unknown to the native officials and the British and American ministers and causes apprehension and dismay. The force is said to be intended to guard European interests here, but the men are evil looking, filthy specimens of the worst type of Moorish soldiers, whose reputation during the time they have been camping uselessly at Casa Blanca has been of the worst.

These troops, who never have been in contact with Europeans, or under any discipline, form as great a danger as the depredations of the tribesmen, if not greater. The Moorish government's action doubtless has been taken with the idea of rendering unnecessary the landing of European or American troops, but is likely to have exactly the opposite effect. The least panic in town would set the soldiers to looting.

The most important point, however, for the moment, is the effect this introduction of troops will have upon Fraissouli, and I regret to say I now consider the position of the captives very precarious.

The British and American authorities strongly protested to Mohammed El Torres, the representative of the sultan. The commander of the troops brings letters announcing that more soldiers will probably arrive here soon.

New styles in the Dolly Varden silk four-in-hands, 25c, at the Merrimack.

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MRS. FLEMING HURT

TRAMPLED UPON BY CROWD RUSHING FOR A CAR.

Mrs. Bridget Flemming, wife of Councilman James Flemming, met with an accident in Merrimack square last night, sustained a fracture of the left arm. Mrs. Flemming had just alighted from a car from the Navy Yard and was making her way towards the sidewalk when shes was caught in a crowd which was rushing for the car to Lakeview and she was thrown to the ground and trampled upon.

Several people who saw her fall managed to clear the crowd away and Mrs. Flemming was picked up and complained of a pain in her left arm and side and was removed to St. John's hospital in the ambulance, where upon examination it was found that she was suffering from a fracture of the arm. Mrs. Flemming resides at 2 Bay state court.

Women's black lawn waists, hemstitched, tucked fronts; were $1.50, now $1.00, at the Merrimack.

CHILDREN'S ENTERTAINMENT.

A highly amusing children's entertainment was held at the Mt. Vernon Free Baptist church last evening. The members of the primary Sunday school class, assisted by Miss Pierce's class, furnished the entertainment, the principal feature of which was a doll drill. The little children participating were Greta Cady, Dolly Rowland, who were the leaders; Blanche Steinforf, Alice Erskine, Nettie Gillespie, Elsie Rowland, Vera Morton and Gertrude Eaton. The remainder of the program consisted of piano solos, readings and songs, and also of choruses by the class, and those taking part were little Misses Marion Clark, Marion Mochrie, Elsie Rowland, Blanche Bennett, Dolly Rowland Lillian Abbott, Margery Wrigley, Greta Cady and Nettie Gillespie and Master Paige Remick.

Ice cream and cake were served at the end of the entertainment, Misses Etta B. Pierce and Emily Wrigley having charge of the sweet tooth end of the program, which did not prove the least enjoyable to the little folk.

Fancy hose in new gray effects, some with white feet, at 17c a pair, regularly 25c, at the Merrimack.

CLUB SOCIAL ELECTED OFFICERS.

The Club Social de Pawtuckelville held its semi-annual election of officers last evening, and there was but one change in the list, that being in the office of assistant secretary. Those were as follows: President, Rodrigue Deschenеaux; vice president, Joseph Davian; secretary, Leopold C. Gelinas; assistant secretary, Paul T. Charbonneau; treasurer, Frederic Theriault; assistant treasurer, Euclide Cinq-Mars; sergeant-at-arms, Joseph Boivin. The installation of these officers will be held at the coming regular meeting, Thursday next.

The subject of the annual club picnic was also discussed at the assembly the following committee being appointed to organize the affair: Emile Gelinas, president; L. N. Milot, secretary, Frederic Theriault, treasurer; W. W. Thibodeau, Joseph Davian, Omer Deschenеaux, Charles Chandonnet, Henri Gelinas, Albert Payette and Rodrigue Deschenеaux, ex-officio.

Miss May Maguire of Boston is the guest of the Misses Lavery of Pine street.

Straw hats 50c to $3 plenty of the much wanted split straws—at the Merrimack Clothing Co.

SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

The regular meeting of Elgin lodge, No. 6, New England Order of Protection, was held last night at Highland Hall and received a grand visit from District Deputy Grand Warden Frances L. Colsom of Salem. She was accompanied by the following: D. D. G. G., Carrie E. Bargent of Haverhill; D. G. W., W. E. Holt of Lowell; D. G. W., F. E. Smith of Billerica and D. G. W. G. E. Sellers of Lawrence, Mass.

After the transaction of routine business and an address by the District Deputy Grand Warden Colsom, a banquet was served and a social hour enjoyed. Besides the members of Elgin lodge there were representatives present from Talbot lodge of Billerica, and Echo and Neptune lodge of this city.

The committee in charge of the evening's arrangements was composed of the following named: Carrie E. Buxton, chairman, Mrs. W. G. Bowen, Miss Mabel Chapman and W. E. Holt.

Concord lodge, No. 6 ,Fraternal Helpers, met in regular session last night at Post 185, G. A. R., hall. Several applications for membership were received and there was a large attendance of members. At the close of the business meeting a fine musical and literary program was carried out.

The "L. P. L." orchestra composed of Mrs. Sanford Leary, pianist; Messrs. Frank Ferry, violin; Jeff Leighton, Lester Foster clarionette; Master Joe M. Leary, cornet, rendered several selections and although it was their first public apearance they showed much ability and will be heard from again. Lorenzo Gace gave one or two recitations in his usual good manner. Mr. Millage Felshel gave several selections on the phonograph.

One of the most notable numbers was a song by Mrs. W. S. Davis which was finely rendered. She was accompanied by Mrs. Sanford Leary. Mr. Bert Tice gave a funny selection in costume which was loudly applauded.

The committee also served ice cream and cake. The affair was in charge of Mrs. Will G. Farmer, and Mrs. Clara Leary.

The regular meeting of Eirene lodge, I. O. G. T., was held last night and was largely attended. Two candidates were initiated and after the regular meeting a very enjoyable entertainment was given. Remarks were made by different members of the order and a fine musical program was carried out.

Theodore E. Parker formerly superintendent of the local telephone exchange, was in town Monday.

Lincoln R. Welch, a Carney medal scholar of the Lowell high school, Mrs. Welch, and her mother, Mrs. Joyce, were

New Lawn White Waists at 98c, $1.25 and $1.49 at Chris. Holmes', 124-126 Merrimack street.

NEW OFFICERS CHOSEN.

The Ladies' Aid society of St. Paul's church met at the home of Mrs. S. T. Brown Tuesday afternoon and the following officers were elected: President, Mrs. S. T. Brown; vice presidents, Mrs. Albert Coburn, Mrs. W. D. Brown, Mrs. J. H. Martin and Mrs. J. P. Ritchie; treasurer, Mrs. Fred Morrison; secretary, Mrs. George Clark; managers, Mrs. James Ashworth, Mrs. Charles Hard, Mrs. Edwin Cleworth, Mrs. Charles Naylor, Mrs. Roberts, Mrs. Merton Glidden, Mrs. George Olmstead and Mrs. Miles Snow; collector, Miss Martha Bradley; entertainment committee, Mesdames Cleworth, Martin and Hard.

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Refrigerators

Made of thoroughly seasoned ash wood, with heavy metal linings and galvanized iron shelves, leaving no wood exposed on the inside of the refrigerator. The best selling sizes, 28 inch, 30 inch and 36 inch wide, sell for $10.00, $13.00 and $15.00 Each. A moderately priced refrigerator of good construction.

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Electric Gold and Silver Dressing

A perfect cleansing solution for gold, silver or plated ware, manufactured for George H. Wood. There is no better polish on the market. We are making a special run on this Polish for a few days. The regular price is 25 cents a bottle. Special price.....12c, or 2 Bottles for 25 Cents

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Fourth of July and Summer Vacation Suits

Take a walk up or down Middlesex street, stop at No. 1577, look in our window and you will not want to go any further, for you will see materials, designs and cuts at prices that will surprise you. Come in, see the complete range, and we know you will agree with us that we are certainly Lowell's credit outfitters, and will wonder at our prices and how we can do it. The secret is, we know the clothing business thoroughly, and do our own buying. The young men of Lowell are fast finding that out; results, they are wearing nobbier and better fitting clothes at less money this season than they have in the past.

Outing Suits

All the leading materials and designs, $5.95, $6.95, $7.95, $9, $12, $13.

Fancy Suits, Scotch Cheviots, Cassimeres, Fancy Worsteds, Oriental Stripes and Homespuns, $11.95, $13, $14, $15, $17.

Black Clay and Unfinished Worsteds, $9, $11, $15, $17, $23.

Blue Oswego Serges, single or double breasted, $9.93, $13, $15.

Trousers

A large and complete range of nobby patterns, $1.50, $2, $2.25, $2.75, $3, $3.50, $4, $4.50, $5.

White and Fancy Vests, finest range of patterns in the city, $1.50, $2, $2.25, $2.75, $2.85, $3.25, $4.15

Young Men's Suits, college cut, single and double breasted in Black Thibets, Vicunas, Unfinished Worsteds and Scotch Cheviots, cut, prices and designs just what you want to be well dressed.

Boys' and Children's Department. Mothers should spend a half hour looking over our very large range of up-to-date styles for the little fellows. It will be money in your pockets to do so.

Men's and Boys' Hats and Caps. Straws—a complete line of all the leading blocks and braids, 25c, 50c, 75c, $1, $1.25, $1.50. Furnishing Department. Every line up-to-date. Neglige Shirts 50c, 75c, $1, $1.25. Kid Gloves, Neckwear, Underwear, Etc. Belts for Outing Suits 25 and 50c.

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157 MIDDLESEX STREET
Clothiers, Furnishers and Hatters on Credit
SIGN of THE RED STAR

DOUBLE BLUE TRADING STAMPS

WOMAN ATTACKED

Two Men Tied Her to a Bed

MALDEN, June 17.—Strapped to an iron bedstead by towels, with a revolver pointed at her head and her life threatened, is the experience claimed by Mrs. Lena Burnett, aged 28, residing at the corner of Orchard and Lebanon streets, yesterday afternoon, although neighbors saw nothing of her alleged assailants. The victim is suffering somewhat from her experience and the police are looking for the assailants.

Mrs. Burnett states that about 3.30 yesterday afternoon two men came to her front door and rang the bell. She answered the door and upon opening it the men forced an entrance she running upstairs to an attic room, closely followed by them. When she entered the room the men caught her and after a struggle tied her to the bedstead with towels, pointed a revolver at her head and told her to not to make any noise or they would kill her.

While one of the men stood by her with a revolver the other, she says, went downstairs, ransacked the bureaus and sideboards, and after 10 minutes called to the man upstairs to come along. He left after threatening her life if she made an outcry for half an hour.

Fifteen minutes after the men left she released herself and went to the front door and seeing Henry Paul of Boston passing the house, told him of the assault. She thought the men were in the house at the time, but after Paul made a thorough search he was unable to locate them.

The Malden officers were notified and Sergt. Powers with a squad of officers visited the house and searched the cellar and all the rooms in the house, but were unable to find the men.

They found the bureau drawers had been opened and a box containing valuable jewelry, consisting of two women's watches, rings and diamonds, had been overlooked.

She describes the men who assaulted her, one about 40 years of age, 5 feet 11 inches tall, of slim build, grayish hair, smooth face and wearing a black and white suit. The second man was about 50 years of age, 5 feet 5 inches tall, weighed 140 pounds and wore a blue suit.

Nothing was missing from the house and it is thought that the men were frightened away. Sergt. Powers found no marks of violence on the woman, but did find a large towel tied to the iron bedstend.

There was a circus in Malden yesterday and it is thought by the police that the men might have been following the circus. None of the neighbors living in the vicinity saw the men and several of them were sitting on their piazzas at the time the assault was said to have been committed.

MATRIMONIAL

Mr. William J. Caddell and Miss Nellie Murphy were married Wednesday evening at 6.30 o'clock at the residence of the officiating clergyman, Rev. Mr. Briggs pastor of the First Pentecostal church. The bride wore gray crepe de chine with satin trimmings and carried bride roses. The bridemaid was Miss Bell Conrad, who carried pink roses. The groom was attended by his brother, Mr. Robert D. Caddell of Marlboro. Following the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride, 19 Farmland road. Refreshments were served and the young ladies in attendance were Misses Jessie Murphy, Reba Jones and Emma Jones. Mr. and Mrs. Caddell were the recipients of many beautiful and costly presents. Amid showers of rice and followed by the congratulations of their many friends, the couple left at 9.15 for their honeymoon and they will visit New York, Philadelphia and several other places of interest before they return.

BROCKWAY—TAIT.

George A. Brockway, popular driver for the American Express company, and Miss Emma J. Tait were married Wednesday evening at the well appointed residence of the groom in Centre street, East Chelmsford. The ceremony was performed by Rev. A. R. Dilts, pastor of the Branch Street Baptist tabernacle, in the presence of the immediate relatives and friends of the contracting parties. The wedding was private because of the recent death of the bride's father, the late Robert Tait of Westford street. The house was prettily decorated for the occasion. The cultivated flower and the vagrant blossom taken from the wild wood, touched, blended and sent forth their sweet perfumes.

The bride was given away by her brother, Mr. Albert Tait of Everett, Mass. She was attired in a beautiful gown of white muslin, and carried white roses. The bridemaid was Miss Emma Noyes of East Chelmsford, who wore a gown of white point d'esprit with lace trimmings and valenciennes lace and carried pink roses. Mr. W. H. Brockway, brother of the groom, was best man.

After congratulations had been showered upon the newly wedded couple, a reception followed and supper was served.

Mr. and Mrs. Brockway were the recipients of a number of costly wedding presents. The ushers were Mr. W. H. Noyes, Mr. Walter Boynton and Mrs. Robert Tait.

Mr. and Mrs. Brockway will be at home to their friends at their new home, Centre street, East Chelmsford, after July 1. No cards.

BATHER DROWNED

TWO YOUNG MEN TRIED TO SAVE HIM.

LEBANON, N. H., June 17—Edward Lynch, aged 15 years, was drowned in the Mascoma river yesterday afternoon while in bathing. He was unused to swimming and went into too deep water. Carl Allen, who was with him, and John Mitchell attempted to rescue him. Allen went to the bottom of the river with Lynch holding to his neck.

Doctors worked 35 minutes on the body, applying all known means of resuscitation, but without avail. Lynch was night operator at the telephone office here and lived with his mother Mrs. Kate Lynch, and sisters, Anna and Kate. He attended the public schools here.

SONS OF AMERICAN REVOLUTION.

ST. LOUIS, June 17—The following general officers were elected yesterday by the Society of the Sons of the American Revolution:

President-general James B. Hancock, of Penna.; vice-presidents general, Gen. George H. Uphill of Missouri; John Hall Earnest, of District of Columbia; Col. A. B. Cutler of California; Edward C. Cone, of New York; Charles K. Miller of Illinois; Secretary general and register general, A. Howard Clark, of District of Columbia; treasurer-general, I. W. Hords, of Connecticut; Historian-general, George W. Bates of Michigan; Chaplain-general, Rev. J. W. Atwood of Ohio.

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A SPECIAL SALE OF

SMALLWARES, NOTIONS, JEWELRY AND TOILET GOODS

Opened Yesterday Morning.

As usual, a large and appreciative crowd were in attendance. These sales are an event which economists look forward to for weeks; they have never been disappointed; their expectations have always been realized consequently they make a quick and ready response to our announcements. We can't spare the space in this issue to enumerate the many bargains offered. (Wednesday's papers will give you that information.) We can only give you a bird's-eye-view of the gathering. JUDGE THE WHOLE BY THIS SMALL PART.

No. 1. Brooks' 200 yd. Machine Thread, black, white and colors. Regular price 5c spool. **Sale Price 3 Spools for 10c**

No. 2. Pearl Buttons, sizes 14, 16, 18, 20. Regular price 5c doz. **Sale Price 2 Dozen for 5c**

No. 3. Fancy Frill Elastic, ¾ yd. lengths Regular price 10c piece. **Sale Price 5c Piece**

No. 4. Large size Pin Cubes, black and assorted pins. Regular price 10c Slightly injured by dampness. **Sale Price 4c a Cube**

No. 5. Hose Supporters, black only; Women's, Misses' and Children's. Regular price 10c pair. **Sale Price 5c a Pair**

No. 6. Canary Carpet and Button Thread black only. Regular price 5c. **Sale Price 3c Spool**

No. 7. Spool Silk, 50 yd. spools, black only. Regular price 3c spool. **Sale Price 3 Spools for 5c**

No. 8. Ball Buttons (pearl with self shank). Regular price 19c and 21c dozen. **Sale Price 12½c Dozen**

No. 9. Wood Back Hair Brushes. The kind for camp. They would sell regularly for 19c. **Sale Price 10c Each**

No. 10. Six-inch Scissors, a 15c grade. **Sale Price 10c Pair**

No. 11. Two-handled Hair Curlers. **Sale Price 2c Each**

No. 12. Tar Soap; good, large cake. Usually 5c. **Sale Price 2 Cakes for 5c**

No. 13. Nail Brushes, with and without handles. Some have wings. Regular price 25c. **Sale Price 15c Each**

No. 14. 7 in. Shears, good steel. A regular 25c grade. The only trouble with them is that a firm name is etched on blade. **Sale Price 15c Each**

No. 15. Rubber Dressing Combs, 8 in size. Regular price 10c. **Sale Price 6c Each**

No. 16. Pearl Waist Sets, 3 in set. Regular price 25c. **Sale Price 10c**

No. 17. Sash Pins: gilt, grey, oxydized and fancy settings. Worth 25c. **Sale Price 10c**

No. 18. Belt Sets; gilt, gun metal, and grey. Worth 25c. **Sale Price 10c**

No. 19. Waist Sets, (36 styles in assortment). Regular price 25c. **Sale Price 5c Set**

No. 20. Hat Pins; silver, gilt and fancy. Regular price 5c. **Sale Price 2c**

No. 21. Real Morocco Chatelaine Bags. Regular price $1.00. **Sale Price 59c**

No. 22. Sterling Silver Cuff Links. Regular price 25c. **Sale Price 15c**

A Sale of

"IDEAL" BED COMFORTS

Without doubt the most desirable summer covering ever produced at a reasonable price. The cotton is light as down, clean, pure and free from specks. Samples may be seen in section where they are sold. The coverings are bright, attractive silkalines in dark or light colorings. The price within the reach of all.

$1.49 each

HOTELS AND LARGE CONSUMERS TAKE NOTICE.

A Special Sale of

P. N. and KABO CORSETS

OPENS THIS MORNING

This store is the mecca for economists in general, corset economists in general. If you have kept track of our store news you no doubt have discovered the fact that we have had some surprising good things lately, and

Now We Have Another Good Thing for You

We have just received 25 DOZEN NO. 825 KABO CORSETS. A model that always sells for $2.00 pair. It is made of coutil, with trimmings at top and bottom of white satin. The boning of course is non-rustable steel; ALSO 25 DOZ. P. N. CORSETS, several styles in this lot, nine worth less than $1.00 pair, one style worth $1.50. No need to extol the virtues of either P. N.'s or Kabo's, you know what they are. The above lots we have put on sale in front of elevator, and marked them

69c pair

MILLINERY PRICES TAKE A TUMBLE

If You Are in Need of a Hat Read Over the Following List:

TRIMMED HATS 98c EACH—Some of them sold for $2.98; trimmings of lace, roses, ribbon, etc.

TRIMMED HATS $1.98—Some of them sold for $4.98; the trimmings are wreaths, foliage, null long ribbon ties.

TRIMMED HATS $1.49 EACH—Some of them sold for $3.98; horse hair braid and chiffon, some have long ties which reach to the knee.

TRIMMED HATS $2.98 EACH—Some of them sold for $5.98; fancy lace tuscans with trimmings of poppies and ribbon.

All of Our Model and Imported Hats. One-Half Price.

A NEW LINE OUTING AND READY-TO-WEAR HATS.

Felts, Fancy Straws and Milan Braid, trimmings of fancy feathers and flowers. Prices range from

Prices range from 39c to $4.98

A HANDSOME 19c VEST FOR 12 1-2c EACH

Jersey ribbed, full bleached, fancy drop stitched, neck has 8 in. lace trimming, a garment that has always sold for nineteen cents; while they last twelve and one-half cents.

A Special Sale of

Beautiful Ribbons

Opens This Morning

This is an opportune event. It comes right in the midst of the season when these dainty things are in the greatest demand. They are used for innumerable things, graduations, weddings and the thousand and one conceits that have birth in the feminine mind.

THIS IS YOUR CHANCE TO SUPPLY YOUR NEEDS AT VERY LITTLE COST.

A splendid assortment Satin Taffeta Ribbons, in Brown, Beige, Violet, Reseda, Light Green, Light Blue, Champagne, Pink, Lemon, White and Black.

Nos. 40 and 50, regularly 19c and 25c yard .....Now 13c | Nos. 60 and 80, regularly 29c and 33c yard .....Now 17c | No. 100, regularly 39c yard Now 19c

ONE LOT OF FANCY RIBBONS, 4 and 4 1-2 inches wide, worth 25c and 29c yard .....16c YARD

ONE LOT OF SASH RIBBONS, in satin, Satin Liberties and Metallic Taffetas, 6 to 7 1-2 inches wide. Regularly 49c to 89c yard ..... 39c YARD

BABY RIBBON.....1c YARD

NO. 1 BLACK SATIN BACK VELVET RIBBON, ALL SILK, always sells for 50c piece.....33c PIECE

METALLIC TAFFETA WASH RIBBON, colors and black. 3 in. wide, regular 12 1-2c, now 9c yard. 3 1-2 in. wide, regular 15c and 17c, now 11c yard. 4 in. wide, regular 19c yard, now 14c yard.

A Splendid Value in Children's Coutil Underwaists

The material in a fine firm quality Coutil, corded and stayed the same as any 25c grade should be. However, in many particulars it is not up to our 25c standard. We had a chance to buy 25 dozen of them at a very low price, we did so and they are here today and tomorrow at..... 15c EACH

VERY ATTRACTIVE SHIRT WAISTS

FIGURED DIMITY WAISTS 98c.—Tucked front, with 3 in. lace panel, tucked back, large sleeves, 2 in. cuffs and stock.

BLACK LAWN WAISTS 98c—Tucked front, black buttons, French back, 2 button cuffs and "new" stock.

WHITE LINEN WAISTS, $1.98—Very mannish, broad plaited front, French back, 2 button cuff, new style sleeves, tab stock.

FIGURED MADRAS WAISTS 98c—Front made with eight broad tucks, tucked back, large sleeves, fancy stock, worth $1.50.

WHITE LAWN WAISTS $1.98—Front composed of all over tucking and broad panel and straps of lace insertion, forming yoke front and back, military shoulders, tucked sleeves, cuffs and stock, worth $2.50.

FIGURED TAFFETA SILK WAISTS $3.98—Box plaited front, bust effect, tucked back, sleeves and cuffs; plain stock, with ruch trimmings. The colors are very handsome, changeable green and red, with both stripes and dots, also black, gray and blue figured. A splendid value.

Excellent Footwear for Women Folks and the Little Ones

Women's Oxfords $1.49 Pair

New Patterns in fine Vici Kid, with patent or kid tips, heavy or medium soles; also Patent Leather Bluchers, either lace or the new Blucher button.

MISSES' AND CHILDREN'S OXFORDS in tan, patent or kid, 98c pair, all sizes.

BOYS', YOUTHS' AND CHILDREN'S SNEAKERS—black, white or brown, 49c pair.

Bare Foot Sandals, sizes to fit every foot from the smallest baby up, 49c to 98c pair.

Under Price Offerings in the Suit Section

Women's Taffeta and Foulard

Silk Shirt Waist Suits $10 Friday and Saturday

The regular price is $12.50; the designs are very attractive, some of the prettiest shown this season.

WOMEN'S SHIRT WAIST SUITS, FRIDAY AND SATURDAY, $3.98—In chambray and fine ginghams, plain or checked, 15 styles to choose from. Regularly $4.98 and $5.98.

WOMEN'S WALKING SKIRTS, $3.98—Fancy mixtures, mohair, linen, pique and wool materials.

RAIN COATS AND TRAVELLING GARMENTS, $9.98—In fancy mixtures and fine cravenettes. These garments are priced regularly at $16.50, but for Friday and Saturday we mark them $9.98.

CHILDREN'S LINEN GINGHAM AND LAWN ONE-PIECE DRESSES, 98c TO $4.98.

A SPECIAL GINGHAM AT 98c—Worth $1.49, good quality material, in pink, blue, red, plain and broken checks, neatly trimmed with braid and embroidery, sizes up to 14 years.

Important Sale

"KING" Collar Buttons

King Collar Buttons. None Better Made.

Marked at a price that will create the liveliest interest among men folks. We have just received 100 gross of this famous Button, a button that sells regularly at 30c for a card of six. Friday and Saturday they go on sale

AT 6c FOR A CARD OF SIX.

They are 10-karat gold filled, made in one piece, no joints to break when you are in a hurry. A choice of six styles for your selection. On sale front of main entrance.

Another Sale of Roses and Pinks Saturday Morning

You know what a mob we had last week, come early and avoid it. THE PRICE WILL BE

1 Cent Each

MR. LADUE QUIT

Again He Failed to Stand the Gaff

JACKSON DOWNED HIM IN 12 MINUTES

And Ladue Refused to Go on the Mat Again

William Ladue, the erstwhile mighty wrestler, went down and out in the estimation of the local sporting public when he quit in his handicap match with Charles Jackson of Camello, at Huntington hall last evening. Friends of Ladue had put up the money for his appearance and side bet and had wagered a large amount of money on him. They afterward stated like good sports, that they did not mind losing their money if their man went along and did the best he could but when he deliberately quit on them they felt sore clear through.

Jackson agreed to throw Ladue three times in an hour or lose and if Ladue succeeded in downing Jackson once in that time Jackson would lose. All holds were to go and the flip of a coin to decide the referee.

The wrangling started early when the men came together to select a referee. Ladue insisted upon Nelson Cote, a lightweight wrestler who was refereeing the preliminary, while Jackson was willing to take Luke Walsh, George Gray, Dick Casey, Walter Watkins, Henri Pepin, Con. Desmond, or anyone who knew the game. But Ladue refused to accept any one but Cote and for a short time it looked as if there might be no match.

Finally a friend of Ladue's noticed big Jim Pettigrew, formerly of Lowell, in the audience. Jim in days gone by was the pride of the local Caledonian club at all its picnics. He could wrestle, run, jump, put the shot and throw the hammer and could step to the tune o' the pipes. Moreover Mr. Pettigrew is thoroughly honest and in this case was a disinterested spectator. The friend after considerable coaxing got Ladue's consent to accept Pettigrew, and Jackson accepted him without a murmur.

It was announced by by Timekeeper L. J. Thyne that pin falls only would count and that there would be no rest between falls.

Prior to the match Jackson examined Ladue's back and shoulders suspicious that the local man might have oiled himself as is sometimes done. The oil makes the body greasy and it is next to impossible to get a grip on when thus oiled. Ladue asked the timekeeper and a reporter of The Sun to examine him for the presence of oil and they did, finding none.

The men then went on the mat and the hopes of the Ladue people rose high at the start for Ladue instead of acting in the defensive carried the battle to his opponent and for a time kept him busy. At one time Ladue got a strangle hold on Jackson and for a moment it looked decidedly bad for Jackson. The latter's only hope was to rush Ladue off the mat and this he did, the two going some 20 feet across the floor in the rush.

The referee ordered the men back to the mat and to take the same hold. The men wrangled over the hold for a few seconds and then Ladue placed the hold and the referee said: "Go." Instantly Jackson by brute strength grasped Ladue by the legs and raised himself off the mat lifting Ladue with him and thus breaking the dread strangle hold. Then he got Ladue under him on the mat and after that it was all Jackson.

After much diddling Jackson put on a banner lock that got Ladue in the proper position for a shift to an up-end arm hold which brought Ladue in the position of a man standing on his head, but so pinioned as to prevent him groeling around in his head. In this position Jackson slowly forced Ladue's shoulders to the mat and when they had rested on the mat three seconds Referee Pettigrew declared Jackson winner of the first fall. The time was 11 minutes, 48 seconds.

The men immediately resumed their seats though as soon as the announcement of the fall was made Jackson was on the mat again demanding that Ladue come out and wrestle without resting as per agreement. Ladue sat in his chair while his attendant, Mickey Larkin fanned him with a towel.

The referee went over to Ladue and ordered him to proceed with the second fall but Ladue without getting off the chair began to protest against the manner in which the referee had used him claiming that after having the strangle hold on Jackson when they went off the mat he was not allowed to put it on again when they returned to the mat.

After about three minutes Referee Pettigrew again asked Ladue to go on the mat while the crowd yelled at Jackson to tackle him where he sat. Ladue arose from his chair and instead of going on the mat faced the crowd and started to argue.

Referee Pettigrew then declared Jackson the winner of the match.

The crowd hissed and hooted Ladue as he went to his dressing room and several hundred waited for him to go out. As they followed him down to the box office it looked as though he was due for rough handling. At the box office Ladue found that his share of the receipts had been attached by Constable Gately on behalf of Jackson who claimed that Ladue obtained $35.61 on Memorial night after forfeiting his share of the receipts by refusing to wrestle.

Ladue then went out of the hall followed by the crowd and turned down Shattuck street where he was soon lost in the darkness.

For preliminaries, Young Barrett and Young Chaput wrestled to a draw.

The Sun long ago informed the public that Ladue wrestling matches would bear watching and The Sun was right as subsequent events have shown. Reinecke laid down to him and even Jackson who last night made him quit, laid down to him on a former occasion. The Sun will continue to show up any fake sporting events as they come along, even as it did the Ladue matches, last winter.

Have you guessed on the world's fair contest at the Merrimack? It costs nothing to guess and you may win $25.

WARREN STATUE

WAS DEDICATED IN ROXBURY TODAY.

BOSTON, June 17.—A monument in honor of General Jos. Warren was dedicated in Roxbury in the presence of thousands of persons today.

After the presentation of the statue to the city of Boston by the art commission, and the unveiling, Mayor Patrick A. Collins delivered an address of 50 minutes duration. An oration by Henry W. Putnam followed.

Later a parade was formed under Chief Marshall Isaac P. Gregg. In the line were detachments from the Ninth regiment, Roxbury Horse Guards, Grand Army, Sons of Veterans, Spanish War Veterans, firemen, school cadets and Masonic lodges.

After the parade Governor Bates, Mayor Collins, Hon. Charles S. Hamlin and Hon. Charles Gallingher made appropriate addresses. The statue is a joint gift of the city of Boston and the people of Roxbury and is the work of Paul W. Bartlett, the artist-sculptor.

Boys' confirmation suits of pure worsted cheviot, well made and good fitting, at $2.00 a suit, at the Merrimack—worth a dollar more.

RAILROAD OFFICIALS

WILL INSPECT LEHIGH AND HUDSON PROPERTY.

PHILADELPHIA, June 17.—President Baer, of the Reading company; President Truesdale, of the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western railroad; President Thomas, of the Lehigh Valley railroad; President Riley of the Lehigh Coal and Navigation company and Third Vice President Provost of the Penna., left this city for a tour of inspection of the Lehigh and Hudson railroad property.

The above named companies are owners of the Lehigh and Hudson railroad company. It is understood that the holdings of the Lehigh Coal and Navigation company are to be taken over by the other four. The secretary of the Lehigh and Hudson will prevent any foreign road from gaining an entrance in to the anthracite coal fields, except that which the Lehigh and Hudson and the Lehigh and New England railroads can furnish. While the Lehigh Coal and Navigation company holds a half interest in the Lehigh and New England, it is understood that it represents other anthracite coal carriers. It is said the inspection is for the purpose of agreeing on a number of improvements and the doubletracking of the lines.

ELECTRIC SHINE.

People that have silver or plated ware should read Wood's wonderful offer in silver polish sale. Something you should never be without. Bottle of it will save labor and do the work in short order. Call at G. H. Wood's for the goods. See adv. in this issue.

O'Donnell's wedding hacks can't be beat

WILL SUE FOR $100,000.

DENVER, Col., June 17.—Former Governor Charles S. Thomas, it is announced, is preparing papers in behalf of James F. Burns, President and manager of the Portland mine, in a damage suit, which Burns will bring against Governor James S. Peabody, Adt. Gen. Sherman M. Bell and the state of Colorado for $100,000 for the closing of the Portland mine by the military.

Attorneys Richardson and Hawkins, acting for Charles H. Moyer, president of the Western Federation of Miners, are drafting papers in a suit for $50,000 damages which Moyer is to file against Gov. Peabody, Adjutant Bell and the state of Colorado.

Moyer's action is based on a charge of false imprisonment by the military authorities.

Fine black suits for first communion and confirmation at the Merrimack. All worsted clay suits are selling at $3.

HELD IN $3000.

BOSTON June 17.—Augustine A. Gale, 19 years old, was arraigned in the municipal court late yesterday and held in $3000 bail on the charge of manslaughter. Gale is alleged to have struck William Golding, on May 28, causing injuries that resulted in the latter's death.

IT'S HERE

The hot weather has at last put in an appearance. Now, look out for bugs. If you suspect the presence of roaches, bed bugs, ants, or any other kind of insect use Howard's Dead Easy, a guaranteed destroyer and preventive of every form of household vermin; 25 cents at druggists or of the maker, Howard, the druggist, 197 Central street.

ANNUAL LAWNPARTY

OF THE LADIES AUXILIARY, A. O. H.

Great interest centres in the picnic of the Ladies Auxiliary, A. O. H., at Mountain Rock tomorrow afternoon and evening. The ladies are preparing to surprise their friends with features that are sure to delight everybody. The affair takes the form of a lawn party and dancing, concert, base ball and sports will furnish a variety of entertainment rarely equalled.

All the cars needed will be run to Mountain Rock during the afternoon and anybody who misses the extras can go on the Nashua. Arrangements are made for Chinese lantern display in the evening.

Wool crash walking skirts, fine tailorder, worth $5.00, selling at $3.95, at the Merrimack Clothing Co.—Women's Dept.

HOUSE RANSACKED

ROBBERS ENTERED JULIA WARD HOWE'S HOME.

NEWPORT, R. I., June 17.—The summer home of Mrs. Julia Ward Howe, at Portsmouth, was entered yesterday and completely ransacked.

The house has not yet been opened for the summer, and until some member of the family arrives here and makes an investigation it will be impossible to say how extensive were the operations of the burglars.

AT LAKEVIEW.

There will be fireworks and a band concert at Lakeview park Saturday night.

FIRST COMMUNION SUITS.

An all worsted cheviot suit at $2 and a pure worsted clay suit at $3 are the leaders offered by the Merrimack Clothing Co. this week. Either suit is well made, and worth a dollar more than the price quoted.

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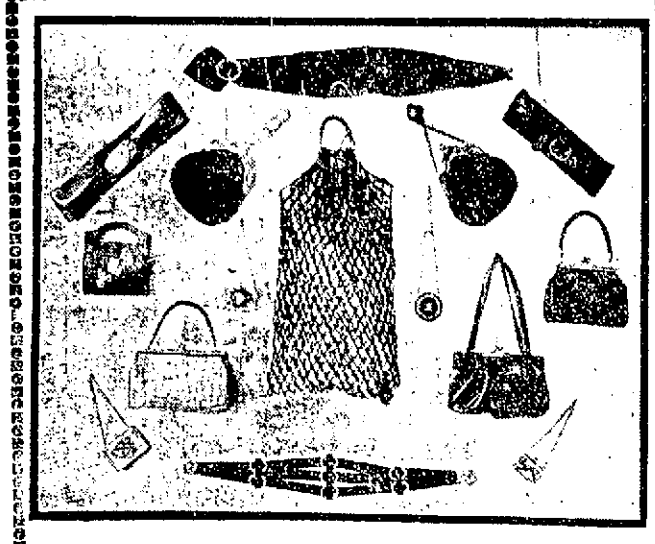

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GIRL ASSAULTED

Police Sergeant Accused of Attack

BOSTON, June 17—Eye-witnesses claim that Sergt. E. A. Webster of station 15, in the presence of Capt. Wyman of the same station brutally beat and assaulted a young girl in the station house early this morning, one of a trio arrested for riotous conduct in City square.

The trouble started at Sullivan square. Two prettily attired girls, accompanied by three young men, were making their way along Main street, in the direction of Boston, laughing and talking and enjoying themselves generally. Suddenly they were accosted by some Charlestown thugs, who passed remarks which were objected to by the escorts of the young women. In a moment a fight was in progress. Hundreds gathered, and the quarreling men and girls were followed to City square, where the police of Charlestown division, attracted by their cries, rushed to the scene.

Capt. Wyman and Sergt. Webster of division 15, together with Patrolman Morse of station 5 and several other officers, rushed upon the crowd. Sergt. Webster grabbed one of the girls and attempted to place her under arrest. She screamed for aid and one of the young men jumped in.

Blows were exchanged, the sergeant's helmet was knocked from his head and a deep gash was cut in the head of one of the young men, who later gave the name of William Gateley. The girls screamed, kicked and scratched frantically, and made efforts to tear themselves from the grasp of the officers. The officers surrounded the fighting parties, and with drawn clubs drove the crowd which had gathered before them.

The girls were literally dragged head foremost to the station house, but a few yards away. They appeared not under the influence of liquor, but hysterical from fright and enraged at what they thought to be an outrage committed upon them.

Nellie Gateley claiming to be the wife of the young man hurt was thrown upon the station house floor as she entered. She kicked and screamed and Sergt. Webster said that one of her feet came in contact with his head. In return he knelt upon the young woman thrust his knee upon her breast and hit her savagely.

Capt. Wyman witnessed the affair, but offered no protest.

"I'm a lady and I can prove it! This is an outrage! Have you not a sister or mother?" in anguish the young woman cried to the officer as he knelt upon her.

The sergeant only sneered.

Her companion, Florence McKenzie, called for water for the injured girl, but the officers paid no attention to her. She lay for some moments in a stupor upon the floor when two officers yanked her to her feet and she was booked before the captain. She gave her residence as Charlestown.

The girl, who called herself Nellie Gateley, said she was 18 years old and her companion, Florence McKenzie, claimed to be two years older. Both were neatly attired, young and pretty, and bore marks of refinement.

The young man who was arrested with them gave his name as William Gateley, and said he was the husband of Nellie. He said he was utterly at a loss to account for the action of the officers. They were locked in cells after having been booked.

During the progress of the fight in the station house, the witnesses and newspapermen present were ordered from the room, several being ejected bodily, and it was some time before they were again admitted, in order to record the arrests of the evening.

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NEVER HEADED

The Thomas Horse Won Suburban Handicap

NEW YORK, June 17.—Hermis, owned by Edward R. Thomas, easily won the Suburban handicap at Sheepshead Bay yesterday. The son of Hermence was on his toes when the barrier snapped. He crossed in front of six competitors, from the outside, and passed the judges' stand in the lead on his journey of one and one-quarter miles. From the position of command thus secured on the rail, he was never headed, and won, under a perfect ride, by Arthur Redfern, in the time of 2.05—the best on record for the Suburban, and two-fifths of a second slower than the track record of 2.04 3-5 held by McChesney. Irish Lad, the public favorite, failed entirely to justify the confidence of his backers and finished third—nosed out of second honors by The Picket. The summaries:

First, six furlongs on main track. Mamie Worth, 113, Burns, 9 to 5, and 1 to 2, won; Mizzen, 118, Bullman, 20 to 1, and 6 to 1, second; Reliable, 110, J. Boland, even and 2 to 3 third. Time—1.13 1-5.

Second, selling, one mile, Seymour, '98, Travers, 6 to 1, and 2 to 1, won; Leola, 96, Coleman, 4 to 1, and 8 to 5, second; The Southerner 111, Fisher, 30 to 1 and 10 to 1, third. Time—1.40.

Third, double event, last five and a half furlongs of futurity course, Song and Wine, 126, O'Neil, 10 to 4, and out, won; Sparkling Star, 117, Redfern, 100 to 1, and 30 to 1, second; Council, 122, Shaw, 10 to 1, and 5 to 2, third. Time—1.07 3-5.

Fourth race, Suburban handicap of $20,000, for 3-year-olds and upwards: one and one-quarters miles; Hermis, 127, Redfern, 4 to 1, and even, won; The Picket, 124, Helgesen, 5 to 1, and 6 to 5 second; Irish Lad, 127, Shaw even and 2 to 5, third. Time—2.05. Prepper, Major Dangerfield and Africander finished as named.

Fifth, last five furlongs fo futurity course: Diamond Flush, 115, Shaw 11 to 5, and even; Won; Don Royal, 118, Martin, 6 to 1, and 3 to 1, second; Delcanta, 118, Lyne, 30 to 1, and 12 to 1, third. Time—1.01 2-5.

Sixth, handicap, one mile and a sixteenth on turf. Leader, 110, Bullman, 6 to 1, and 2 to 1, won; Carbuncle, 109, Martin, 3 to 1 and even, second. Sweet Alice, 92, Notter 30 to 1, and 12 to 1, third. Time—1.48.

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BUNKER HILL DAY

Is Being Observed in Charlestown

BOSTON, June 17—The celebration of the anniversary of the battle of Bunker Hill, which was fought 129 years ago today, began before sunset last night and will continue until midnight tonight. Fireworks, firecrackers, band concerts, social and fraternal meetings and appropriate literary and historic exercises in the Charlestown district comprised last night's events. Throughout the length and breadth of the Charlestown district, many individuals and every club kept "open house."

The principal centres of interest were in City square and in the vicinity of the Bunker Hill monument. A police order had been promulgated forbidding the exploding of fireworks before four o'clock this morning, but this order was chiefly honored in the breach. Up to midnight six arrests had been made of persons who were caught violating this order.

According to their usual custom, King Solomon's lodge of Masons conducted commemorative exercises about the Bunker Hill monument last evening. The lodge placed a laurel wreath on the facsimile of the original monument erected by the lodge on the present site of the more famous granite one. Past Worshipful Master Ernest C. Marshall was the orator of the occasion.

Last night's general celebration was marked by an unusually large number of accidents due to the careless handling of fireworks.

ROUGH HOUSE

MEN TRIED TO CAPTURE A SALOON.

BOSTON, June 17—A lively "rough house" marked the close of a garden party in Apollo garden, Roxbury, last evening, and six young men were arrested by the police of division 10 for participating in it. The men taken into custody are John Maguire, John Magee, George Griffin, George Smith, John Daley and Frank Maher.

A few moments before 11 o'clock Lieut. Fessenden was notified that a gang of men had taken possession of the saloon of Jacob Boehner on Amory st. and was creating a disturbance there. He sent the patrol wagon with a squad of police under Sergt. O'Neil, and when the officers arrived there was a crowd of more than 100 in the vicinity of the saloon watching the struggle between a number of intoxicated men in the saloon.

Upon the arrival of the police, the crowd scattered, but the men in the barroom, mentioned above, were taken into custody.

DIAMONDS GONE

WOMAN HID THEM IN HER SHOES.

BOSTON, June 17.—Mrs. Josephine M. Sorenson of 266 West Canton street reported the loss of jewelry worth $1015, mostly in diamonds, to the police of station 6 yesterday afternoon.

According to her story she was in the habit of keeping her jewelry in one of her shoes. Yesterday she found it necessary to have the shoe repaired, but did not remember that the diamonds were in it.

She called her colored maid, Ella Galloway, and told her to take the shoes to a repairer on Columbus avenue. His name is Leo Monfredo and his shop is at 368A Columbus avenue. The shoes were sent to the repairer at 1.30 o'clock in the afternoon. While the girl was gone Mrs. Sorenson says she recalled the fact that she had secreted the diamonds in one of the shoes, and upon the girl's return she asked her if she had brought them back. The girl replied that she had not seen them.

The police of station 5 visited Monfredo, to whom the shoes had been sent, but he said there were no diamonds in the shoes when he received them from the servant. The mystery is what became of the jewelry.

The articles reported lost are:

A diamond sunburst brooch worth $500.

A crescent-shaped diamond pin worth $250.

A turquoise ring worth $150.

A sapphire ring worth $75.

A moonstone ring worth $40.

SECRETARY MOODY

WILL GLADLY ACCEPT ATTORNEY GENERALSHIP.

HAVERHILL, June 17.—Sec. of the Navy Moody returned to Washington yesterday in response to an unexpected summons. He would not say what the business was which required his presence there, but did not deny that it was in reference to his appointment as attorney general and the turning over of the navy portfolio to his successor.

His intimate friends in this city all recognize the fact that the change will be made, and believe that it is particularly agreeable to Mr. Moody and may result in a longer stay in the capital than he has heretofore intended.

BIGAMY CHARGED

A BOSTON MAN IS UNDER ARREST.

PROVIDENCE, June 17.—Edgar B. Kelley of Boston, a butcher, who came to Providence not long ago, pleaded not guilty in the court of common pleas yesterday to an indictment alleging bigamy. He was held in $1500 for trial before a jury the last part of the month.

The indictment charges that Kelley married Gertrude Strob in Boston, Jan. 21, 1894, and that he married Mary Granfield in Providence, June 19, 1901.

SUBURBAN HANDICAP.

NEW YORK, June 17.—The Suburban handicap was run yesterday. By 2 o'clock, half an hour before the first race, the grand stand, club house, field and lawns were filled. Shorthose, the Gaughachres' stable candidate for blue ribbon honors was scratched early leaving six horses to go. The track was in grand condition. Western interest centered in The Picket and Proper, winner and third, respectively in the Brooklyn handicap, but owing to the penalty of added weight given out to The Picket the eastern backers pinned their faith to Irish Lad, as they did in the Brooklyn. Hermis, too, had an army of supporters owing to his splendid showing in the Brooklyn handicap and the evident improvement in his condition. With only six starters the suburban gave promise of being one of the most thrilling struggles for turf honors and a purse of $20,000 ever witnessed on the turf.

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At 98c

We open up our new Wash Skirt Department with 25 dozen Skirts at 98c each. In entirely new and distinct styles, colors black and white, and blue and white, and black and white polka dot duck, $1.50 values.

At $1.49

Fancy Cheviot Skirts, 11 gore, all seams bound. In a variety of pretty designs, would ordinarily sell for $3.00.

At $1.98

A fine assortment of Irish Linen Skirts made to stand strenuous wear. This is a regular $3.50 Skirt.

WASH SUITS

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There's not an item in this entire annoucement that is not a money saver. A fine French Cambric Suit made up in dainty and exclusive patterns, full blouse and full flare skirt, $1.98 instead of $2.98

At $7.98

Pure Irish Linen Suits, handsomely made and finished. The coat is 30 inches long with inverted plait strap across back. Box front collar. less, in colors of blue, tan and white, real value $10.00. Special $7.98.

At $3.98

Walking Skirts, worth $6.98. Prettily made, of all wool mixtures and men's wear material. The manufacturers figured on selling these at $6.98, our opening price $3.98.

At 49c

We're bound to sell Shirt Waists if we can make the price an inducement, and you have our personal guarantee that the values in every instance are even better than represented. Here's the story: at 49c a fine White Lawn Waist trimmed with embroidery, well worth 98c.

At 98c

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HEART PUNCTURED

WONDERFUL SURGICAL OPERATION PERFORMED.

CHICAGO, June 17.—A surgical operation, said to have been but once before successfully paralleled in surgical history, is believed to have been accomplished here, saving the life of 15-year-old Edward Peltz, who attempted to commit suicide. Peltz fired a bullet into his heart while despondent over loss of employment. With death impending at every tick of the watch, Dr. Carl Wagner of St. Joseph's hospital, placed six stitches in the bullet-torn heart, effectually stopping the hemorrhage. The patient's condition is said at the hospital to warrant the belief that he will recover. The bullet, which had pierced the lungs and passed through the heart, was found in the thoracic cavity and removed.

CRY OF "MURDER"

FALL RIVER POLICE COULD NOT FIND VICTIM.

FALL RIVER, June 17.—Several persons who claimed to be on a wharf reported to the police that they heard cries of "murder" last night from an adjoining wharf followed by a splash in the dock and the hurried flight of two men.

The police dragged the water for about four hours, but found no trace of the body. Later they learned that three men were seen going in the direction of the wharf shortly before the cries are reported to have been heard.

Everything up to date at O'Donnell's stables.

FOURTH OF JULY EXCURSION.

A grand opportunity for enjoying the holiday is to take the Boston & Maine trip to Niagara Falls at the very low rate of $10.10 for the round trip via the West Shore and $9.90 via the Delaware & Hudson and Erie. Tickets are good going on all regular trains July 1st to 2d; returning on regular trains not after July 4th.

GROWING WORSE

FRIENDS FEAR THAT PREUSSER IS INSANE.

ALBANY, N. Y., June 17.—Friends of Richard E. Preusser, under indictment for the murder of Miles B. McDonnell of Boston, who have been hoping that his mental condition might improve with the rest and quiet brought on by his incarceration at the jail, say they are beginning to fear the worst.

His actions have been decidedly strange for several days, and Drs. Schutter and Houghton have been watching the progress of his case with renewed interest. In response to a query yesterday in regard to Preusser's condition, Dr. Schutter tapped his forehead in the significant manner used to indicate that sanity had taken flight.

Preusser busied himself yesterday afternoon doing a lot of writing. When asked by his jailor what he had written, he said in all seriousness that he had been counting the tiny lumps of coal as they were dumped into a cellar opposite by some coal heavers. He declared he had only missed two out of the whole consignment.

Mrs. Preusser arranges his bed in the daintiest manner every day, and as soon as she leaves the cell her husband piles the bedclothes in another portion of the room.

He said he felt tired yesterday and attributed it to the fact that he had been automobiling all night. He said the automobile kept going around in a circle and never stopped, but he was not afraid. Another fellow, who, he said, was riding with him for a short time, jumped out, and Preusser laughed heartily at the fellow's cowardice.

Preusser smokes cigarettes constantly.

THE PROPAGANDA

WILL NOT DECIDE FR. SULLIVAN'S CONTROVERSY.

ROME, June 17.—According to reliable information the congregation of the propaganda has not rendered and will not render any decision regarding the long standing controversy between Bishop P. A. Ludden of the diocese of Syracuse, N. Y., and the Rev. John E. O'Sullivan of Camillus, Onondaga county, in that state. On the occasion of the last visit to Rome of Bishop Ludden the vatican authorities approved his attitude towards Fr. O'Sullivan.

Almost 20 years ago Father O'Sullivan was tried by the state courts on a serious charge and found guilty. His case was appealed but it never came to trial again. As the result of the charge against the priest he was suspended from all ecclesiastical functions but after a lapse of ten years was reinstated by the vatican. Bishop Ludden, however, refused to give him a parish, and it was because of this refusal that the case was again brought to the attention of the congregation of the propaganda.

REV. JOHN CANNING DEAD.

EXETER, N. H., June 17.—Word was received here last night of the death in Boston of Rev. Father John Canning, one of the most prominent priests in New Hampshire, and pastor of St. Michael's church here. Father Canning, who was 70 years of age, was born in Scotland. His first parish was at Machias, Me.

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OFFICERS ELECTED

BY ANCIENT ORDER OF UNITED WORKMEN.

CHATTANNOGA, Tenn., June 17.—In addition to considering several important executive questions yesterday the supreme lodge, Ancient Order United Workmen meeting in annual convention at Lookout Mountain elected officers for the ensuing year. The following supreme officers were chosen:

Past supreme master workman, Webb McNall, Galford, Kas.

Supreme master workman, W. M. Harbis, Muscatin, Ia.

Supreme foreman, William Colvig, Jacksonville, Oregon.

Supreme recorder, W. M. Sackett, Meadville, Pa.

Supreme receiver, H. B. Dickinson, Buffalo, N. Y.

Supreme guide, L. C. Merrill, Concord, N. H.

Supreme watchman, S. B. Ritchie, Winnipeg, Man.

The superior lodge, the woman's branch of he order, elected these officers:

Past Superior chief of honor, Mrs. Irene M. Ralbs, Buffalo, N. Y.; superior chief of honor Mrs. Huelln K. Webster, Belding, Mich.; superior lady of honor, Mrs. Hattie W. Broggs, Portland, Oregon; superior recorder, Mrs. Elizabeth E. Albarn, Sioux City, Ia.; superior receiver, Mrs. Emma S. Bicknell, Manchester, N. H.

O'Donnell's funeral hacks are the neatest.

ROOSEVELT CONDEMNED.

HOT SPRINGS, Ark., June 17.—After discussing for three hours the platform committee report the democratic state convention adopted the platform and adjourned.

The platform defers to that body a specific declration of principles, upon national questions and declares:

"We condemn President Roosevelt, among other things, especially for his public and private conduct intended to stir up bitterness between the different sections of the country and to make the negro believe he is the social equal and otherwise equal of the white man."

SCHILLER ELECTROCUTED.

COLUMBUS, O., June 17.—Michael Schiller, of Youngstown, O., a wife murderer was electrocuted at the Ohio penitentiary at midnight. Reports from the prison say there was a hitch in the execution and the condemned revived 3 times after the electric current had been applied.

ST. LOUIS FAIR

HAS BEEN A FINANCIAL SUCCESS SO FAR.

ST. LOUIS, June 17.—World's fair officials are very much pleased with the financial condition of the fair as indicated by the payment of the first installment on the government loan, which was made yesterday. The following statement by Secretary Stevens was made to the Associated Press last night:

"The Louisiana purchase exposition yesterday paid into the United States treasury at St. Louis $195,057.04, being the first payment on the loan of $4,600,000 made by congress. This sum was 40 per cent. of the receipts of the exposition from admissions and concessions during the first 15 days of June, that being the percentage required under the act of congress. The gross receipts paid into the exposition treasury for the 15 days was $487,642.60."

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Tomorrow, June 18, at 3.30 o'clock

HEIRS' SALE OF THE DUFFEE ESTATE: A FOUR-TENEMENT HOUSE AND ABOUT 2176 SQUARE FEET OF LAND, AT NO. 14 CROSS STREET.

On the above date, at the premises, regardless of the weather or conditions, we shall offer for sale our four-tenement house, to the highest bidder. The sale will be absolute, and we must be content with the price obtained.

The house comprises four small tenements of four rooms each, they are in good repair and have the best of sewerage and water services. The tenants have lived there a long time and are a class that always pay their rents promptly.

We regret very much to part with this property, as it has always rented at a steady rental of $360 a year, and we are sure it will make a grand investment to the purchaser. This is an excellent chance for some man of moderate means; where he could have his own tenement and the income of three others; it is in a fine location, being the second property on Cross street from Suffolk; it is very convenient to schools and churches, and within ten minutes' walk to many large industries. If you are looking for a solid investment, it will pay you to look this property up.

TERMS: $300 must be paid to the auctioneer as soon as the property is struck off; other terms at sale. Make all inquiries at the office of the auctioneer.

By the order of the heirs,

SARAH DUFFEE,
LOUISA DUFFEE.

Monday, June 20, at 3.30 o'clock

STORE, TENEMENT AND ABOUT 1584 SQUARE FEET OF LAND AT NOS. 470 AND 472 SUFFOLK STREET, BETWEEN MOODY AND MERRIMACK STREETS.

For reasons best known to myself, I will make positive sale by public auction, of this parcel of property situated on the westerly side of Suffolk street, within 100 feet of Merrimack street, between Russell and Lemon properties. The lot contains about 1584 square feet of land. The building contains a store with two rooms in rear and a tenement of six rooms. The location is central and for a little money expended for improvement it should be made to pay a good rental. The sale will be positive, regardless of the weather, and the terms will be $350, to be paid to the auctioneer at time and place of sale; other terms at sale. Make all inquiries at the office of the auctioneer.

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5 cases of untrimmed hats in Tuscan, champagne, castor, navy and black, all beautiful shapes, worth from $1.25 to $1.98, for this sale **48c**

10 cases of white straw hats in all the best shapes for this sale **75c,** worth double the money.

5 cases of plaid hats in all the leading shapes including such as the gage hats, never sold less than $2.25 and $2.50, for this sale **75c,** all beauties.

10 cases of Tuscan hats in all beautiful shapes including the Alice Roosevelt shape, regular $1.50, $1.75, $1.98 and $2.25, for this sale **98c**

10 cases of untrimmed hats in all colors and desirable shapes, for this sale **25c,** regular 98c.

5 cases of untrimmed hats in all colors, regular 69c hats, for this sale **15c**

5 cases of children's untrimmed hats, regular 48c shapes, for this sale **15c**

3 cases of children's untrimmed hats, regular 75c and 98c, for this sale **25c and 48c**

200 children's trimmed hats suitable for the country and beach **75c, 98c, $1.25, $1.48,** all worth double the money.

100 trimmed hats for children, all beautiful, with flowers and ribbon for **$1.25,** regular $2.50 and $3.

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Today's Ball Game At Spalding Park

LOWELL 11

IN THE SEVENTH HICKEY CAUGHT BOWCOCK AT SECOND BUT RIVA SAID "NOT OUT."

FALL RIVER 5

TODAY'S SCORE BY INNINGS

Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Lowell	0	3	0	6	0	0	2	0	x	11
Fall River	0	3	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	5

About 700 people saw Tom McDermott's aggregation from Fall River trimmed by Lowell this afternoon at Spalding park.

The day was an ideal one for base ball. In fact it was the best day since the opening of the season, it being very clear and not a breath of wind blowing to change the course of the ball. The fair sex was well represented and the old timers were on the bleachers ready to put their last cent on the Lowell aggregation.

The two teams went through a brisk 15 minutes' practice before the opening of the game.

Umpire Riva made his second appearance on the local grounds. He called the game at 3.15 o'clock.

FIRST INNING.

Fall River was first to bat and Dywer the first man up received his base on balls. He stole second on a wild pitch by Bushey but he remained there for then ext three men hit to the infield and were out at first. Moorehead flied to Connors and was thrown out at first, then Iott flied to Hickey and was out. Weddidge closed the inning with a sky scraper which Papa Lake gathered in and the side was retired.

Billy Connors was the first man up for Lowell and he made a fine two bagger to left centre and went to third on Grant's sacrifice, but Billy died there. Bighie got to first on an error by Moorehead. Hickey hit to Moorehead who threw to Gulheen and the latter threw to first making a double play.

Score—Lowell 0, Fall River 0.

SECOND INNING.

In the second Fall River managed to score three runs through the wildness of Bushey and a rank decision on the part of the umpire, Gilroy was the first man up and he struck out. Bowcock drew his base on balls and as he started to steal second Tibbitts hit to left field for a single and Wilcox went to third base. Bushey allowed Peterson to get his base on balls, filling the bases. Gilroy then hit over Bushey's head, and Bigbie getting the ball threw to the plate, getting Bowcock at the plate.

With the bases still full Bushey allowed Dwyer his base on balls forcing in Tibbitts who was holding down third. Moorehead hit to centre field and Peterson and Gilroy ran home. Grant threw the ball to McGovern on Moorehead's hit and Terry had Gilroy at the plate, but Umpire Riva to the astonishment of the spectators called Gilroy safe. He was hissed and hooted for this decision. Iott closed the inning by flying out to Grant.

In Lowell's half of the second inning the home team landed on Gilroy with both feet and scored three runs, tieing the score. Papa Lake was the first man up and he singled. McLaughlin who followed him made a nice two-bagger and Lake went to third. Connors foul flied to Dwyer. McGovern hit along the third base line for two bases, scoring Lake and McLaughlin. Bowcock threw home to catch McLaughlin but Peterson fumbled the ball and McLaughlin was safe. Bushey hit to centre field and Tibbitts allowed the ball to go by him, and the local pitcher went to second base. Connors flied out to Tibbitts. Grant singled to left field and Bighie closed the inning by flying out to Iott.

Score—Lowell 3, Fall River 3.

THIRD INNING.

Fall River failed to score in the third. Weddidge hit to left field and Gulheen sent him along to second on a sacrifice. Bowcock struck out and Tibbitts was out on a fly to Grant.

Lowell came near scoring in the third but a pretty double play stopped Hickey from scoring. Hickey hit to right centre, but Lake flied out to Peterson, McLaughlin made his second base hit and Hickey went to third. Cross flied out to Iott and Hickey tried to come home on the play, but he was out at the plate on a double play.

Score—Lowell 3, Fall River 3.

FOURTH INNING.

In the fourth Fall River added another run to the score by good hitting. Peterson was the first man up and he foul flied to Lake, the latter making a pretty running catch. Gilroy hit over Grant's head for two bases. Dwyer scored Gilroy on a single to left field. Dwyer then started to steal third and Moorehead hit for a single and Dwyer was safe. Iott hit to McLaughlin who threw the ball to McGovern and Dwyer was out at the plate. Weddidge closed the inning by a pop fly to McGovern.

Lowell started a batting carnival in the fourth inning, and besides batting Gilroy out of the box the home team scored six runs. McLaughlin was the first man up and he drew his base on balls. Bushey bunted along the third base line and beat the ball out to first for a hit. Connors sent an easy fly to Gilroy and was the first man out. Grant drew his base on balls and the bases were filled. Bigbie singled and the batting carnival started. Hickey then singled and Lake coming to the bat hit the ball over left field fence for a home run and from the time that Bigbie singled until Papa Lake sent the ball over the fence six runs were brought in.

At this point Gilroy was taken out of the box and Harris was sent in to pitch. McLaughlin was the first man to appear before the new pitcher and he hit to right field for a single. Cross struck out and while Barnie was trying to steal second he was thrown out and the side was retired.

Score—Lowell 9, Fall River 4.

FIFTH INNING.

In the fifth inning Gulheen was the first man up and he flied out to McLaughlin. Bowcock hit to right field for two bases and Tibbitts flied out to Grant. Peterson drew his base on balls and Harris found Bushey too much for him and struck out.

Lowell failed to score in the latter half of the fifth. McGovern flied out to Dwyer and Bushey struck out. Connors hit the ball over second base for a single and Grant "bummed his way." Bigbie flied out to Weddidge and closed the inning.

Score—Lowell 9, Fall River 4.

SIXTH INNING.

Fall River went out in one, two, three order in the sixth inning. Dwyer, the first up, flied out to Grant. Moorhead hit a grounder to Connors and was out at first. Iott hit a hot one to Bushey who brought it to the ground and McLaughlin fielding the ball sent it to first in time to catch the runner.

In the sixth Hickey got as far as third but could not score. Matty opened the inning with a hit to left field and Lake followed with a single to right, Hickey going to second on Lake's hit. McLaughlin flied out to Bowcock. Cross flied out to Tibbitts and Hickey went to third on the put out. McGovern hit to Moorehead and forced Lake out at second.

Score—Lowell 9, Fall River 4.

SEVENTH INNING.

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Fall River added another run to its score in the seventh inning, with the assistance of the umpire. Weddidge and Gulheen sent grounders to Hickey and they were both out at first. Bowcock hit to left field for a single which turned into a double. He kept going around and Bigbie threw to Hickey and Hickey tagged him as he stole in but the umpire called Bowcock safe. Tibbitts scored him with a single to left field. Peterson hit to Connors forcing Tibbitts out at second.

Lowell added two runs in the seventh. Bushey sent a grounder to Moorehead and was out at first. Connors sent an easy one to Gulheen who fumbled it and Billy went down to second. Grant struck out. Bigbie hit over second base and Connors scored. Hickey hit a grounder to Moorehead and was safe at first. Bighie went to third on this play. Hickey and Bigbie then started to play a combination steal and Gulheen dropping the ball let Bigbie in and Hickey went to third. Lake was then hit by a pitched ball and McLaughlin closed the inning by flying out to Iott.

Score—Lowell 11, Fall River 5.

EIGHTH INNING.

In the eighth inning Harris hit to Hickey and was out at first. Dwyer struck out. Moorehead hit to left field and Iott hit to McLaughlin and was out at first.

In Lowell's half Cross struck out. McGovern who was the next man up got a single to left field. Bushey followed with a single to left field. Connors flied to Moorehead who threw to second and caught McGovern off the base for a double play.

Score—Lowell 11, Fall River 5.

NINTH INNING.

Weddidge struck out and Gulheen flied out to Grant. Bowcock made a single to left field Tibbitts flied out to Cross.

The score and summary:

LOWELL.

	ab.	r.	bh.	tb.	po.	a.	e.
Connors 3b	6	1	2	3	1	1	0
Grant cf	2	1	1	1	5	0	0
Bigbie lf	5	2	2	2	0	0	0
Hickey 2b	5	2	2	2	0	0	0
Lake 1b	5	1	3	3	1	3	0
McLaughlin ss	5	1	3	5	1	3	0
Cross rf	5	0	0	0	0	1	0
McGovern rf	4	2	2	3	9	0	0
Bushey p	5	1	3	3	0	3	0
Totals	41	11	19	26	27	10	0

FALL RIVER.

	ab.	r.	bh.	tb.	po.	a.	e.
Dwyer 3b	3	0	1	1	2	1	0
Moorehead ss	4	0	2	2	2	4	2
Iott rf	5	0	0	0	3	1	0
Weddidge 1b	5	0	1	1	4	0	0
Gulheen 2b	4	0	0	0	4	1	2
Bowcock lf	4	1	3	5	1	0	0
Tibbitts cf	5	1	2	2	2	0	1
Peterson c	2	1	0	0	5	1	1
Gilroy p	2	2	1	2	1	1	0
Harris p	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	36	5	10	13	24	9	6

Summary: Earned runs—Lowell 8, Fall River 4. Two base hits—Connors, McLaughlin 2, McGovern, Gilroy, Bowcock 2. Home run—Lake. Sacrifice hits—Grant, Gulheen. Stolen bases—Connors, Hickey, 2, Dwyer, Morehead, Williams. Double plays—Morehead Gulheen and Weddidge, Iott and Peterson, Morehead and Gulheen.

Umpire—Riva. Attendance—700. Time of game—2h. 10m.

At Nashua today—Nashua, 10; New Bedford, 5.

NIGHT EDITION

HOUSE AND BARN

Lively Fire in the Highland District

The fire responsible for two alarms from box 48 at about 3.30 o'clock this afternoon started in Mrs. Mabel E. Wilson's barn situated in the rear of her house in Walker street. But for the fact that sparks from the fire communicated with the roof of a cottage house in Grove street the second alarm would not have been sounded.

Mrs. Wilson's barn was totally destroyed and her house a two-tenement one, was badly damaged. The lower part of the house is occupied by Mrs. Winfield McLean and the upper part by Mrs. Wilson and her family.. Very little of the household effects either from up or down stairs were saved and the articles of furniture that were not burned were ruined by water. A rough estimate sets the loss at $4000 with small insurance.

It is believed that the fire was set by boys playing in or about the barn. It was first discovered by Mrs. Wilson's little daughter, Irene Mabel. She heard the crackling and when she reached the yard the flames were bursting through the roof at the rear end of the barn. She alarmed her mother and Mrs. Wilson telephoned to the fire station. At the same time a young man living in the neighborhood rang in the alarm.

There was nothing in the barn except a dozen hens which had quarters in the cellar and some of them, it was not known how many, perished. The fire spread from the barn to the house with lightning rapidity and the back portion of the house was enveloped before the first piece of apparatus arrived. The firemen were not hampered in any way as there were open spaces on both sides and in front of the house.

About the time the fire got rightly underway, however, the wind started to blow a lively gale and dangerous cinders were being carried hither and thither. While the burning embers fell on the roofs of houses in the immediate vicinity the firemen felt that they were masters of the situation, but just as soon as the sparks lent their life to new fires on neighboring streets it began to look as if that pretty residential district was in for a big blaze and it was deemed best to sound the second alarm.

The first alarm did not attract a very large crowd. It was attended mostly by those living in the immediate vicinity, but a few minutes after the second alarm went in Walker street from Westford street to far beyond the burning buildings was black with people. Half a dozen officers were despatched to the scene and they had little difficulty in keeping the spectators where they belonged.

It looked for a little while, when the wind was blowing a small gale, that the houses in the immediate vicinity would add their timbers to the flames but the firemen had a good chance to work and it did not take them long to subdue the enem. The fire was under control before 4 o'clock.

GENERAL BOBRIKOFF IS DEAD

HELSINGFORS, FINLAND, JUNE 17.—GENERAL BOBRIKOFF, GOVERNOR-GENERAL OF FINLAND, WHO WAS SHOT YESTERDAY MORNING AT THE ENTRANCE TO THE SENATE, DIED AT 1 O'CLOCK THIS MORNING. THE PEOPLE ARE CALM AND THERE IS NO EXCITEMENT.

BURYING THE DEAD

Victims of General Slocum Disaster Laid at Rest

NEW YORK, June 17.—While the divers and others were busy looking for bodies the steamer Grand Republic, the sister ship of the General Slocum passed up the river with a party of excursionists on board. Every deck was crowded. As the vessel neared the point where the divers were working on the wrecked vessel, the police boat patrol whistled for the Grand Republic to slow down so as not to disturb divers, but according to the police no attention was paid to the warning. It was only when the Grand Republic was almost upon the divers float and the waves made by the vessel began to make the float rock and sway that the pilot seems to realize that he should obey the signals and slowed down slightly. By the time the Great Republic was abreast of the wreck, however, all steam was put on again and the boat proceeded up the sound. The Supt. of the Lutheran cemetery said today, that about 100 applications had been made for the burial of victims of the disaster and that fresh applications were being constantly received. More than 50 of the Slocum's dead were laid at rest in the burial ground today and a far larger number will be buried there tomorrow, when it is expected the interments will go up into the hundreds. For several days a succession of burials of victims is looked for at the cemetery.

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ASPHALT CASE

MANY WITNESSES TO APPEAR BEFORE RECEIVER.

PHILADELPHIA, June 17.—A number of persons who had been summoned to appear at a hearing today before Henry Tatnall, receiver of the Asphalt company of America, ignored the summons and failed to appear. The act under which the hearing was called empowers the court of chancery to commit such persons to prison, until they shall submit themselves to be examined and pay all the costs of the proceedings. The following are understood to have received summons. Geo. D. Widner, Sidney F. Tyler, Wm. J. Latta, Geo. W. Elkins of this city and General Francis V. Greene of New York. The purpose of the investigation was to enable the receiver to secure information concerning the inside history of the Asphalt company in order to aid him in the suits brought in the New Jersey courts.

THE SUPERIOR COURT.

Alice Murtagh, who walked into the police station a few days ago and was locked up for safe keeping because she was then out on appeal, appeared before the superior criminal court in East Cambridge today. It was Alice's forty-fourth appearance beore the court in the last seventeen years and she asked to be sent to the house of correction rather than to the state farm. Judge Lawton listened to her request and sentenced her to the state farm.

LANDLORDS.

If you have a tenement idle that rents for $15 a month, you are losing 50 cents a day every day it is vacant. A little ad. in The Sun "To Let" column will rent your tenement in a very few days. Others have tried it with good results; why don't you try it?

EXTRA

FLEETS HAVE MET

Naval Battle Believed to be in Progress

TOKIO, JUNE 17—3.30 P.M.—A REPORT HAS BEEN RECEIVED FROM THE POLICE STATION AT SAGA, NEAR SASEBO, SAYING THAT SOUNDS OF CANNONADING HAVE BEEN HEARD OFF THE COAST. IT IS POSSIBLE THAT A JAPANESE FLEET HAS MET THE RUSSIANS.

STERN FIGHTING AT VAFANGOW

LIAO YANG, June 17.—A correspondent of the Associated Press who was present at the battle of Vafangow describes the fighting as follows: "The stern, dogged fighting at the battle of Vafangow was like another Borodino. The roar of the machine guns and the boom of cannon still ring in one's ears. Throughout the three days of combat the officers and men stood with each in pluck and calor.

"The enemy's advance originally included the fifth, eighth and 11th divisions, 12 squadrons of cavalry and splendid artillery. About 200 guns were belching a continuous stream of shot and shell. Large reinforcements enabled them to turn the Russian flanks. A diversion on the right precipitated the battle in the morning of June 15.

"Major General Gergonross, who was wounded, commanded the left flank and General Loutchkovsky commanded the centre, including four battalions concealed in a small wood, whence they dealt death and destruction on the enemy.

"The Russian right was protected by Cossacks, dragoons and Siberian rifles. While the big guns were thundering, I made my way at about 11 a. m., to the Russians' right flank and climbed a hill whence I could view the whole field of battle. Behind me a battery had taken up a position from which it kept up a continuous fire upon the advancing ranks of the enemy. Through glasses I could see the sandy valley of the Tassa, with the Chinese village of Fafan, the heights of Foo Chow, the railroad bridge and the surrounding copses were occupied by Japanese infantry. Then black lines of infantry like threads could be seen creeping through the verdure. Nearer the slope of a hill was dotted by the grey shirts of the Russian riflemen. A brownish smoke overhung some of the batteries and others showed flashes of flame. The crackle of rifle fire was punctuated by the roar of guns. Occasionally I heard the hiss of a Japanese bullet.

"The scene was awe inspiring. Over the Russian centre and left flank hovered clouds from bursting schrupnel. I saw reserves hurrying forward, the Cossacks galloping, followed by columns of infantry at the double. Suddenly they disappeared in an adjacent defile.

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MANNING FAMILY

Held Fifth Annual Reunion at Billerica

The fifth annual reunion of the Manning family was held today at the old Manning Manse in Billerica, a good representation of the kinsman of this great American family being in attendance, renewing old acquaintances, rehearsing the joys and sorrows of the past year and enjoying the pleasures of an outing at the old homestead. A dinner was served at noon after which there were speeches by prominent members of the family association. Late in the day officers were elected.

On Tuesday, Aug. 16, during the G. A. R. encampment week in Boston, there will be a grand national reunion of the family at the old Manse and already a great number have notified the secretary, Warren H. Manning, who resides at the Manse, of their intention of attending.

The old homestead, which is located on the Boston road in Billerica, about eight minutes' walk from the cars, at the point where they leave the Boston road to turn into North Billerica. It was erected in 1696 by Samuel Manning (grandson of William Manning of Cambridge, the Puritan father) and occupied by his descendants for nearly 200 years, is now held by the Manning association, which was in corporated by special act of the Massachusetts legislature in 1901.

The old home contains a large and valuable collection of family mementoes, relics and records to which additions are constantly being made. Warren H. Manning of Boston, with his family, have been at the house for some time past and had everything in readiness for the reunion.

About one hundred attended the reunion, and the following officers were elected: President, Sam. W. Manning, West Newton, Mass.; vice president, Prentice C. Manning, Portland, Me.; treasurer, Frank Manning Short, Lowell, Mass.; historian, William H. Manning, Ayer, Mass.; secretary and custodian, Warren H. Manning, Manning Manse, North Billerica, Mass.

The song for Manning reunion, written especially for the occasion, was sung to the tune of Auld Lang Syne.

THE WEATHER

The indications are that it will be fair tonight and also on Saturday. There probably wil be light variable winds.

6 O'CLOCK

MANY NEW NAMES

Are Piling on Assessors' Books

The assistant assessors are still at work on their books and they report that they find an unusual number of new names in all parts of the city.

This means a lot of work at registration for the candidates for political office this fall.

The assessors are of the opinion that aside from the many new residents coming into Lowell every day that all the old ones who went away during the strike are returning.

POLICE BOARD

DETERMINED TO STOP DRINKING BY WOMEN.

BOSTON, June 17.—The police commissioners adhere to their original request to the saloonkeepers not to sell intoxicants to women, to be drunk on the premises, in a note sent out yesterday through the liquor men's association, and it also refuses to interfere, as requested, in the matter of free hot lunches, trading stamps and rebate checks, holding that these are incidentals to trade and not considered under the law.

The matter of selling liquor to women is not considered in any statute and the ruling is merely the wish of the board. However, William J. Miller, president of the Massachusetts Wine and Spirits Dealers' association, said last night: "Why, of course the liquor dealers of Boston will obey the request of the board."

Judge Emmons said that while the board could not revoke the license of a dealer who persists in selling to women, he would predict what might happen when the license expires.

Judge Emmons stated that no further notice will be given the saloon men in these matters.

In the cases of bona-fide cafes, restaurants, palm gardens and hotel dining rooms, the request will be withheld and women will be allowed to enjoy the drinking privileges in them if the captain of the division reports favorably upon the matter, but it is to be understood that the board will not be materially influenced in its final decisions in such cases by the reports of the captains of the divisions.

BUILDING NOTES

AN ADDITION TO BE BUILT TO TEWKSBURY NOVITIATE.

A new addition is to be built on the novitiate at Tewksbury Centre, the work of excavating having commenced the day before yesterday. The new building will be known as the Settlement House and will be of brick and two stories high, it being connected with the main building. It will include a laundry, workshop, dormitories, etc. The plans were drawn by Architect Millard F. Davis, and Pascal Harnois will do the carpenter work. Contractor Berard will have the brick work in charge. Rev. Fr. J. A. Sirois, O. M. I., will have general charge of the building of the addition.

Contractor C. A. Morton is going to change over the Cooper estate at 172 School street, making it into a two-apartment house. The changes will be made on the inside of the building and the cost will be about $400.

CRUISER ALBANY ARRIVES.

SEATTLE, Wash., June 17.—The United States cruiser Albany from Cavite, P. I., May 6, has arrived at Bremerton. She stopped at Guam and Honolulu. En route from Guam the Albany passed Wake island, where the American flag still flies. The Albany reports no signs of life on the island.

A LONG VOYAGE.

CHICAGO, June 17.—The little gasoline yacht, Palmetto, from New York, has arrived at Chicago from New Orleans having on board the owner and a party of friends bent on circumnavigating the Eastern half of the U. S. The craft left New York more than a month ago, proceeding south by way of the Atlantic ocean and Gulf of Mexico. The cruise will continue by way of the lakes and St. Lawrence and eventually to New York, making what is believed to be the longest voyage ever attempted by a craft of its size.

DEATHS

STANLEY—Gorge Stanley, infant son of George L. and Grace L. Pierce of Boston, died yesterday morning at 81 Worthen street, where its parents were visiting relatives.

SHEA—James W. Shea, aged 25 years, a well known young man of this city, died at St. Johns hospital yesterday. Deceased was a member of Company F, 1st N. H. Vol. and was also a Spanish War veteran. Mr. Shea is survived by a wife and two children. The body was removed to his residence, 11 Lagrange street by Undertakers O'Donnell & Sons.

FAY—Michael J. Fay, aged 37 years, the well known leather merchant, died this morning at his home, 167 Jewett street. The deceased is survived by a wife and mother.

MAGUIRE—Catherine Maguire, an old and highly respected resident of this city passed away last night at her late home, 97 Christian street. The deceased was well known especially by the older residents of Christian Hill and was a devout and constant attendant at St. Michael's church. She was 74 years of age and leaves to mourn her loss a husband, Michael and a family.

Get Rid of Scrofula

Bunches, eruptions, inflammations, soreness of the eyelids and ears, diseases of the bones, rickets, dyspepsia, catarrh, wasting, are only some of the troubles it causes.

It is a very active evil, making havoc of the whole system.

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Eradicates it, cures all its manifestations, and builds up the whole system.

Accept no substitute.

THE DAVIS FUND

Mayor Wants it Invested Without Delay

Mayor Howe today called a meeting of the finance committee for next Tuesday and His Honor instructed the city messenger to inform the members of the committee that the meeting will be an important one as the committee will then decide how the Davis fund is to invested. Mayor Howe will sign the deeds tomorrow and he wants to get the money invested as soon as possible as it is now lying idle and not earning any money.

FOUGHT BURGLAR

LYNN GIRL SHOWED SHE HAD GRIT.

LYNN, June 17.—Miss Gertrude French, a slight, frail girl of only 15, a High school pupil, exhibited great courage in repelling a burglar in her house, 84 Johnson street, last night, and has today been showered with praise for her pluck.

Miss French told a reporter about her struggle with the invader.

"There was only grandma and I in the house," said she. "We live here alone together, you know, and about 11.30, after we had gone to bed, I woke up with an idea that someone was in the house.

"I ran into grandma's room and woke her up, but she didn't believe anyone was in the house. She thought I'd just been scared by a dream.

"Grandma is 70 years old, and I had to protect her if anyone was in the house, so I ran to the kitchen. Another noise came; it was from the pantry.

"I ran back to grandma's room and told her, and when we went into the kitchen again the pantry door was open. I went toward it and saw a man there. He had seen me there and came forward. I got to the pantry door and slammed it to, how, I really don't know; I only knew I had to.

"Then I ran to the window, threw it open and screamed for help.

"It happened that the policeman was standing in front of the house next to ours and he came running. The man was in the pantry all this while, with grandma holding the door.

"Suddenly he burst it open and started toward us. I caught hold of him and hindered him so that he couldn't get out that way.

"He threw me off and ran to the pantry. The window was open where he had come in, and he tumbled out just as the policeman came in the door.

"It all happened so rapidly that I really couldn't describe him. He was a big man, I am sure of that, and of course he looked dark, because we had no light in the room.

"Yes, it did scare me, really. If I had had time to think I never could have done it, but all I thought of was that it had to be done, so I just went ahead and did it."

SMALL DROWNED

HE WAS STRICKEN WITH HEART DISEASE.

PORTLAND, Me., June 17.—Daniel F. Small, aged 65 of West Falmouth, proprietor of the West Falmouth manufacturing company was drowned today in the Piscataqua river. While examining a bad leak in the dam he was stricken with heart disease, with which he had been troubled, and fell into the river. He was town treasurer and clerk for many years.

FUNERALS

CHOUINARD—The funeral of Ovide Y. Chouinard, who committed suicide Tuesday night, took place yesterday afternoon from his home, 10 Alder street. Burial was in the Edson cemetery, and Rev. T. G. A. Cote officiated at the grave. Undertaker Amedee Archambault had charge.

MULLANEY—The funeral of the late Joseph A. Mullaney took place this morning at 8.30 o'clock from his late home, 55 Worthen street, and was largely attended by relatives and friends of the deceased. A high mass of requiem was held at St. Patrick's church at nine o'clock by Rev. James A. Walsh and the choir sang the Gregorian mass. There was a profusion of beautiful and appropriate floral offerings in evidence, showing the esteem in which the deceased was held by his many friends and acquaintances. The bearers were Messrs. Patrick J. and Frank Meehan, Frank Sullivan, Daniel Conchlin, Michael H. Hoar and James McDermott. The ushers at the house and church were John J. and Owen Mullaney, John F. Meehan and James T. Lynch. The interment was in the Catholic cemetery where the committal prayers were read by Rev. Fr. Walsh. The funeral was under the direction of Funeral Director Peter Davey.

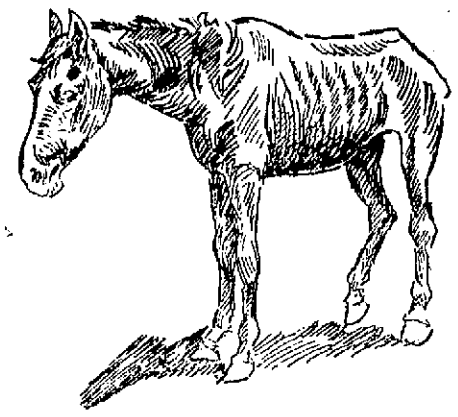
$12,200,000

MADE BY FRENCH TO MOROCCAN GOVERNMENT.

PARIS, June 17.—The foreign office has been informed of the final closing of the French loan of $12,500,000 to Morocco. The loan is secured by Morocco's custom house. This is the first step in France's taking up the reorganization of Morocco's administration. The loan probably will exert a salutory influence on the Moroccan government and induce the latter to meet France's urgent request for the release of Raisuli's prisoners. Official advices say that Raisuli's definite reply is expected toward the end of the week.

These who are interested in a beautiful show of peonies will get all they desire by calling at McMannon's Nurseries in Kenwood at this time, as there are hundreds of these blooms to be inspected. And as for hardy roses; they are the greatest sight you could imagine. Mr. McMannon says that there are several new and valuable additions to the peony family, and there is no garden but can afford space for these new additions which have been introduced within the past few years. The grounds are open to the public for inspection. Persons desirous of having such shrubs would do well to see them in blossom before purchasing. Now would be a good time to make a selection.

Women's high grade suits selling this week at $10.00—were $18.00, $20, $25—at the Merrimack—across from City hall.



SKETCH OF THE ABUSED ANIMAL.

HAD TO SHOOT HIM

Man's Cruelty to a Poor Old Horse

Tottering in all four limbs, the outline of every rib plainly visible, his shoulders galled and his flesh diseased, a poor old horse standing near the side of the road in North Chelmsford, attached to the remnant of an old-fashioned wagon, attracted the attention of, and appealed to, the sympathy of the good people of the village and they reported the case to Constable Walton and he notified Agent Richardson of the Humane society.

Genero Moro, the owner of the horse, that years had robbed of his teeth and man abused, was in police court today charged with having in his possession June 14, a horse unfit for labor, suffering from galled shoulders and feebleness. He was found guilty and was fined $4.

Moro keeps a boarding house in Westford and in company with another Italian who escaped before Constable Walton appeared on the scene, drove from Westford to North Chelmsford last Tuesday.

Moro was arrested on a warrant sworn out by Agent Richardson of the Humane society and the latter was disposed to be lenient with Moro because of the fact that the man is very poor and was made to believe by the other Italian that the horse was fit for work and that he would improve as time went on. The horse was purchased at an auction sale in Boston for the sum of $12.

As soon as Moro was spoken to by Agent Richardson about the horse he said he was willing to do whatever the agent might suggest and Mr. Richardson notified Constable Walton to shoot the animal. The photograph which appears here was taken by Agent Richardson.

Moro was vey penitent in police court today and held his head down while Judge Pickman reprimanded him for his cruelty. In reply to questions by Agent Richardson, Moro said he did not know that the horse's teeth were gone. He said the other fellow told him the horse would be all right as soon as he was given a chance to rest and eat grass. Agent Richardson gave as his opinion that the horse was at least 25 years old.

SCHOOL CLOSES

Graduation Exercises of St. Michael's School

The closing exercises of St. Michael's parochial school were held in the basement of St. Michael's church last evening, and eight students, two girls and six boys, received diplomas. There was a large attendance of parents and friends of the children, students and former graduates. Owing to the fact that recently the hall in the upper floor of the school had to be turned into class rooms on account of the increased attendance the exercises were held in the church basement, where an improvised platform had been erected.

The platform was tastefully decorated with national colors, potted palms and other greenery, while in the centre of the stage was a fine picture of Rev. John J. Shaw, pastor of the church, draped in the national colors. A fine entertainment was carried out by the students of the school, and from the applause given it was evident that the people present were well satisfied with the work of the children. The latter showed that they had been the recipients of careful and painstaking instruction by the sisters of the Dominican Order who preside over the school.

Among the distinguished people present were Rev. Louis A. Walsh, supervisor of the parochial schools of the archdiocese of Boston, Rev. Charles Sullivan, of Collinsville, who was recently ordained and Rev. John J. Shaw pastor, Rev. Eugene A. Carney, Rev. Francis Mullin and Rev. Denis Murphy of St. Michael's church and the sisters of the school.

Rev. Fr. Walsh, during the course of the entertainment, delivered a short address to the pupils, the graduates, and the fathers and mothers of the parish. He spoke of the fine manner in which St. Michael's parochial school was conducted under the guidance of the good sisters, who interested themselves in the welfare of the children whether in or out of school. He referred to the fine work of the pupils who took part in the entertainment and spoke generally of the high standar of the parochial schools of the city. In closing he spoke words of advice to the graduates and also the pupils.

Rev. Fr Shaw presented the diplomas to the eight graduates who were as follows: Misses M. McDonough and Ellen Christian and James and Edward Murphy, Francis Reed, Thomas Nugent, Bernard Hurley and Thomas O'Brien. The reverend gentleman congratulated the students on the work they had performed since they entered the school and wished them success in their future walks, whether they be toward a further education or in the list of toilers.

The following program was carried out:

Greeting to Our Pastor. Minims
"When Our Country Calls" Chorus
2nd and 3rd Grade Boys.
"All Aboard," Operetta in 1 Act
8th and 9th Grade Boys.
"Music and Song" Vocal Duo
M. McDonough and M. Chisholm.
Recitation "Rescued"
Mary Sorensen.
"My Sunny Southern Home," Chorus
Essay, Ellen Christian.
"Village Minstrels" Chorus
5th and 6th Grade Boys.
Recitation "Vision of St. Dominic."
Rose McDonough.
Little Mothers Chorus
2nd and 3rd Grade Girls.
When Papa Comes Home Vocal Duo
Edward and Gertrude Reardon.
Declamation "When Jack Died."
Thomas Hunt.
Uncle Sam's Drum Boys Chorus
4th Grade Boys.
"Lead Kindly Light" Pantomine
5th and 8th Grade Girls.
Declamation "Vision of Sir Launfal."
Valentine Tristan.
Topsy Turvy Song Boys' Chorus
"Little Washerwomen" Chorus
4th Grade Girls.
"Mother's Way" School Chorus
Parting Chorus 7th, 8th and 9th Grades
Addresses by Pastor and Clergy.
Miss K. Minahan, accompanist.

STRUCK BY ENGINE

RALPH CURRIER CAME NEAR BEING KILLED.

LYNN, June 17.—Ralph Winfield Currier, winner of the Phillips scholarship at Tufts college last week, had a narrow escape from being killed at the Market street crossing of the Boston & Maine railroad at 3.10 yesterday afternoon, and is now in the Lynn hospital with a broken leg and possible internal injuries.

Currier was in the act of crossing in front of a train coming from Boston, although the gates were down, and the locomotive struck him, throwing him some distance. The police ambulance was called and he was taken to the hospital.

Currier lives with his parents at 23 Blaney street, Swampscott.

This is boys' week at the Merrimack. Special values today and tomorrow—across from City hall.

READY TO FIGHT

EMPLOYERS TO CONTEST WITH TEAMSTERS' UNION.

CHICAGO, June 17.—The employers' association of Chicago has set May 1, 1905, as the date for a general contest with the teamsters' union. A resolution carrying this decision, recently passed by the executive board has just been made public. The organization in the meantime will prepare for the struggle. Ever since the association was formed this labor organization has been its chief stumbling block. Owing to their strategic position, the drivers have been able to force "closed shop" agreements in almost every capacity. They also have had repeated wage increases.

THEY FAVOR PARKER.

DURANT, I. T., June 17.—The democratic convention last night completed the national delegation by selecting W. C. Rogers, T. L. Wade, C. A. Skeen and Robert Reed. The delegates are uninstructed but favor Judge Parker.

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THE GLASGOW TAILORS

We have 10,000 yards of Ideal Summer Suiting for hot weather comfort, which you cannot duplicate anywhere in the city for twice the money.

One Well Known Price **$15**

will beat the high priced tailors out of sight and will positively appeal to all good dressers.

Come in and Examine. Fit Guaranteed or Money Refunded

THE GLASGOW TAILORS

19 Merrimack Square

TRAIN ROBBERS

Held up a Northern Pacific Train

THEY DYNAMITED THE EXPRESS CAR

Robbers Believed to be Railroad Men

BEAR MOUTH, Mont., June 17.—Two masked men held up the North coast limited Northern Pacific passenger train, east bound, at about a mile and a half east of this station during the night. As they were bringing the train to a stop they dynamited the express car, blew open the safe, and secured all of its contents. The amount secured is not known, but it is believed to be large. After blowing out the rear lights of the train, the two men disappeared.

The hold-up was similar to the one which occurred two years ago at nearly the same spot and in which Engineer O'Neil lost his life. The robbers boarded the tender of the engine at the Bear Mouth water-tank. After having remained quiet until the train had gone one mile and a half, they crawled up over the coal, covered Engineer Wade and Fireman Reed with their guns. The train was stopped and the engineer and fireman were marched back to the express car. The express messenger was commanded to open the door but refused. The engineer was then compelled to light a stick of dynamite placed against the car. The explosion completely wrecked the door and the engineer and fireman were compelled to precede the robbers into the car.

When admission was gained the robbers at once directed their attention to the strong box. Five sticks of dynamite were placed on top of the safe and ignited, but the force of the charge was insufficient and another one with a larger cap was used.

The second charge blew out the side of the car and threw the safe forty feet. After rifling the safe of its valuables, the robbers commanded the train crew to remain on the train and no harm would be done them. While this was going one one the robbers accidentally struck the engineer with his revolver and in apologizing called him by name, indicating a possibility that the robbers may be railroad men.

The crew was escorted back to the engine, the robbers extinguished the signal lights on the last car and disappeared in the darkness. Meanwhile the passengers were terror stricken and had crawled under everything that offered a hiding place. The rear brakeman meantime had run back to Bear Mouth where communication was had with Missoula. A posse was summoned and Supt. Thalmers' private car was soon on its way to the scene. Bloodhounds at Deer Lodge prison have been wired for. Four men are supposed to have composed the band.

BATTLE WITH ROBBERS.

BUTTE, Mont., June 17.—Many shots have been heard in the direction of Bear Mouth and it is believed that a battle has occurred with the Northern Pacific train robbers.

PERSONALS

Misses Rosa and Marie Ange Lebrun, daughters of ex-Councilman Louis Lebrun, are visiting in Chazy, N. Y., for the summer, the guests of their uncle, Mr. Fred Willford.

Miss Ida Marie Rogers sang yesterday at a concert given in the Calvary Baptist church, Salem, Mass.

Born in this city, June 15, to Mr. and Mrs. John Murphy, of Gibson street, a son.

Miss Anna V. Regan of this city was bridemaid at the Ryan-Graham wedding at Lawrence Wednesday evening.

Dr. and Mrs. William L. Rombough attended the annual dinner of the Boston and Tufts Dental Alumni at Point Shirley on Tuesday the 14th.

Chief E. S. Hosmer, Mrs. Hosmer and Miss Hosmer and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jenness of this city attended the ladies' day under the auspices of the Massachusetts Fire Chiefs' club at the hotel Cecil in Boston Wednesday evening.

James Smith, P. G. M., and a delegate from the Manchester Unity of this city, attended the deputies' school school of instruction in Boston last evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles C. Terry of Hudson, N. Y., left Lowell yesterday for their home, after spending several weeks as the guests of Mrs. Terry's father, Mr. Jacob Baron, of Middlesex and Carleton streets.

Mr. Frank Charlton, who scored a hit with the "Heart of Maryland" company, this past season is visiting his home in this city.

Miss L. Aileen Hard, of Perry, New York, is visiting at the home of her brother, Mr. C. C. Hard, 312 Nesmith street.

Miss Kittie Milliken has left for Concord, N. H., where she is to make a stay of a few days, after which she will go to St. John, N. B., for a prolonged stay.

Patrolman Michael O'Connell, after an illness of several months, has returned to duty once more.

Mr. and Mrs. N. H. B. Wardwell of 88 Carnbridge street, have returned home after a seven weeks' trip to California.

Mr. John Tierney and family of Crawford street, have gone to Sackville, N. B., for the summer.

William Clark of Lincoln street, has gone to New York city for two weeks' vacation.

Mrs. S. Maxfield and family left Lowell today for Hampton, N. H., where they will spend the summer.

THE LAST DAY

PUBLIC SCHOOLS HOLD THEIR LAST SESSION.

Today was the last day of school and the children are now free for two months.

The graduating exercises will take place, the High school, Monday evening and the different grammer schools, on Monday and Tuesday.

Some of the primary classes had informal entertainments and closing exercises today to which only the pupils and their teachers participated.

INSTANTLY KILLED

WAGON FELL UPON JOSEPH DUNSTABLE.

QUINCY, June 17.—Joseph Dunstable, aged about 50 years, and employed on the Metropolitan boulevard at Atlantic street, was instantly killed while at work yesterday afternoon.

He was driving a gravel team, and the connecting link on the crossbar broke, allowing the wagon to come down against the horses. As the wagon swayed toward the edge of the embankment Dunstable jumped and fell down the embankment 25 feet, the wagon falling on top of him, fracturing his skull and crushing in his chest. Death was instantaneous.

Dunstable had been employed by the city but two days, and little is known regarding him. It is thought that he has a sister living in South Boston.

SHEEP ROAST

A FEATURE OF CELEBRATION IN HARTFORD.

HARTFORD, Conn., June 17.—Bunker Hill day was observed in this city by the Putnam Phalanx and the first company, governor's footguard who entertained militia companies from other cities. The footguards had as guests company E, First light infantry of Providence, R. I., while the hospitalities of the Putnam Phalanx were extended to the Worcester Continentals and delegations from the Amoskeag veterans of Manchester, N. H., and the Ancient and Honorable artillery company of Boston. All the companies united this morning in a parade which was reviewed by Governor Chamberlain and his staff. After the review the companies marched to the Union station where they boarded a special train for Lake Compounce to enjoy an old fashioned sheep roast.

NAN PATTERSON

DENIED PRIVILEGE OF INSPECTING RECORDS.

NEW YORK, June 17.—The application of counsel for Mrs. Nan Patterson, who is charged with the murder of C. Young, the bookmaker, to inspect the minutes of the grand jury in connection with the indictment of Mrs. Patterson, was denied today by Judge Newburger in the court of general sessions. In denying the application Judge Newburger set next Tuesday as the day for pleading.

HE WALKED OVERBOARD.

NEW BEDFORD, June 17—Ira M. Chace, a well known citizen in a fit of mental aberration, walked overboard from a wharf north of the city's property, last evening and was drowned. Mr. Chace had been in poor health for months.

How many votes will be cast by the winner of trip No. 1 in the World's Fair contest at the Merrimack? A $25.00 prize goes to the person guessing nearest the exact number. Open to everybody.

Driven to Desperation.

Living at an out of the way place, remote from civilization, a family is often driven to desperation in case of an accident, resulting in Burns, Cuts, Wounds, Ulcers, etc. Lay in a supply of Bucklen's Arnica Salve. It's the best on earth. 25c. at F. H. Goodale's Drug store, 217 Central street, Lowell.

NEW SEWER WORK

Must be Voted by City Council at Once

Unless the city council makes a move very quickly, two big gangs of sewer employes will soon be thrown into idleness and then there will be a howl against the members of the two branches.

The two big gangs referred to numbering several hundred men are now finishing up their work and at present there is no new work ahead and no sign of any. If these men get all through before the city council votes any more new work, it will be necessary for these men to suspend work.

As it takes some time to get a sewer resolution through the city council the members of that body need to get down to business at once or city hall will be beseiged with idle employes.

HIS HEAD CUT

RICHARD KNIGHT MET WITH PAINFUL INJURY.

Richard Knight, residing at the rear of 711 Lakeview avenue while at work on Chelmsford street today laying rails for the Boston & Northern Street Ry. Co., was struck in the head with a crowbar which slipped fom the hands of another employe.

The ambulance was summoned and the injured man removed to the Emergency hospital where two stitches were taken in his head. A laceration on the nose was also dressed.

ELECTED OFFICERS.

DETROIT, Mich., June 17—The supreme grand loyal orange lodge of the United States closed its biennial session here last night with the election of officers among them the following:

Most worthy supreme grand master, Dr. Henry Hall, Somerville, Mass., supreme grand secretary, Mrs. Christine Milligan, Saugus, Mass.; supreme grand treasurer, Mrs. Mary Given, Woburn, Mass.

SANITARY COMMITTEE MEETING.

The committee on sanitaries, Councilman Hayes, chairman, is still on earth and will meet again on next Monday when it is expected Mayor Howe will appear before the committee and talk over the project.

This is boys' week at the Merrimack. Special values today and tomorrow—across from City hall.

THE "PHI ANNUAL"

The members of the Gamma Deta Psi Fraternity of the Lowell High school have produced a very interesting book entitled the "Phi Annual." The publication is in the form of a school calendar and directory and contains everything of interest in connection with the school. Messrs. Robert B. Parker and Marcus J. Cole are the editors and Mr. Schuyler R. Waller is the illustrator.

GRAND CLOCK SALE

Eight-day Kitchen Clock, hour and half-hour strike. Regular price $2.50 This special sale price..... $1.48

We also have Black Enamel Parlor Clocks, marble laid, cathedral gong. Regular price $5.00. This special sale price $2.98

Regular $8.00 Parlor Clocks, perfect timekeepers. Sale price..... $4.98

GEORGE H. WOOD'S GREAT CLOCK SALE

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All Kinds of Trading Stamps. 227 CENTRAL STREET.

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DENIS MURPHY, 13 Appleton street, Lowell, Mass.

J. F. O'DONNELL, 324 Market street, Lowell, Mass.

O. A. BERNSTON., 25 Andrew street, Lowell, Mass.

PIHL & WIDEN, 40 Lundburg street, Lowell, Mass.

ANDERS THOMASSON, 277 Central street, Lowell, Mass.

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LATEST

BANDIT'S DEMAND

Raisuli Asks More Than Can be Granted

WASHINGTON, June 17.—In a cablegram today to the state department, Consul General Gummere at Tangier indicates that the bandit Raisuli, owing to the subserviency of the Moorish officials has exaggerated his demands to a point where they have become ridiculous. Rear Admiral Chadwick informed the navy department by cable today that his flagship Brooklyn has returned to Tangier from Gibraltar where she went for coal. Gummere adds that a second letter has been received from the grand vizier repeating the sultan's regrets at the outrage and stating that orders have been given to grant Raisuli's demands in order to secure the release of the captives.

"This afternoon, to our surprise," he wires, "there appeared two vessels from Casa Blanca, from which were landed a force of 400 men. These men form a part of a detachment which has been near Casa Blanca for six months. Their appearance at this time embarrasses the situation as the troops here had just been disbanded in compliance with the demands of Raisuli.

NATIONAL COMMITTEE

FIRST OF THE CONTESTS HEARD.

CHICAGO, June 17.—When the republican national committee met today the chief contest to be settled was that on the seating of the delegates at large from the state of Wisconsin. The faction headed by Governor La Follette were fighting for the four delegates at large, Isaac Stephenson, Robert M. La Follette, James B. Stout, and W. D. Connor. The "Stalwarts," so called, who are opposed to the La Follette men, were demanding seats for U. S. Senators Spooner and Quarles and Congressmen Jos. W. Babcock and Emil Baensch. Each faction has a state ticket of its own as well as a state committee. Interest in the result of the contest before the national committee was more general probably than regarding any other question before the committee. The meeting today was called to order by Chairman Payne, who withdrew on account of his interest in the matter, the chair being taken by Senator Scott of West Virginia. D. C. Owen of Milwaukee, as proxy, represented Chairman Payne in the proceedings. It was decided that H. W. Chynoweth of Madison and G. E. Rowe, of New York, formerly associated with Governor La Follette, should present to the committee the La Follette side of the case.

CHARITIES CONFERENCE.

PORTLAND, Me., June 17.—The standing committee on "defectives", Walter E. Fernald, M. D., Waverley, Mass., head, is in charge of the general session of the national conference of charities and correction at the opening of today's meetings.

A paper was read by Miss Lydia Gardiner Chase, Providence, R. I., whose topic was "Public school classes for mentally deficient children."

Section meetings on "Needy families in their homes" and "criminals" were held this afternoon.

General discussion was opened by C. N. Hubbard, general secretary associate in the charities, Cincinnati.

Rev. Frederick H. Wines was chairman of the section meeting on "criminals."

BURYING THE DEAD

(Continued.)

MORE BODIES

WERE FOUND IN THE BURNED STEAMER.

NEW YORK, June 17.—Every hour adds to the horror of the excursion steamer disaster of Wednesday, when the General Slocum was burned to the water's edge near North Brother island. Divers had explored the wreck of the steamer yesterday and reported that no more bodies were to be found there,

CAPT. WILLIAM VAN SCHAICK OF THE BURNED STEAMER,

but shortly after daylight today, a diver found a large number of bodies packed tightly inside one of the paddle wheel boxes. The number is not yet known.

The coroner had arranged to visit the wreck today, for the purpose of ascertaining, if possible, what evidence of culpability on the part of the Knickerbocker Steamboat company or of the officials of the boat, if any, could be secured to present to the coroner's inquest. It was arranged to take the bodies out at that time.

At the various hospitals where the injured have been taken, it is said today their condition was very satisfactory. There are now 53 victims of the disast erin the hospitals.

BODIES MISSING

DEPLORABLE BUNGLING IN MANAGEMENT OF BODIES.

NEW YORK, June 17.—It developed today that a new horror had been added to the terrible conditions resulting from the Slocum disaster, through the over-officiousness of some person at the morgue. As a result some of the bodies probably will never be identified. When the bodies were taken from the water, each was tagged with a number. That number was recorded and the papers, valuables and trinkets which would have served to identify the bodies were removed and placed in separate packages, having a number corresponding to that on the body. When the bodies were taken to the morgue they were placed in numbered boxes, but in many cases these numbers did not correspond with the figures the bodies previously had borne. As a result, the plans were completely upset and the numbered packages of valuables became practically worthless as a means of identification.

One case which came to the attention of the officials today was that of T. Hill of Williamsburg. Mr. Hill called at the morgue yesterday and identified the body of his brother-in-law, Mr. Ritcher, and the wife of the latter, and they were removed to the office of an undertaker. In the afternoon, the bodies of Catherine and Lillian Ritcher, 3 and years old, respectively, also were identified by him. When he called at the morgue today, with an undertaker the bodies could not be found. The bodies were numbered 173 and 175 respectively and the authorities at the morgue have no record of any such bodies having been given to any one though they had a record of the identification made by Mr. Hill on yesterday.

It is thought that some undertaker was given the bodies in place of two others which he should have taken, through a confusion in the numbers.

Secretary of Commerce and Labor Geo. B. Cortelyou, who had a long conference with Robert S. Rodie, inspector of steamboats for the second district of New York, after his arrival here, said that he would give his personal attention to the investigation of the Slocum disaster. Mr. Cortelyou left today for Westfield, Mass., where he will deliver two addresses. He will return to New York tonight and begin at once upon the preparations for the investigation. Before leaving for Westfield, the secretary said: "I wish to say that a most thorough investigation wil be made into this most awful tragedy and no stone will be left unturned to lay bare the whole truth with regard to this awful calamity."

THE HOSE BURST

STORY TOLD BY OFFICER EDWARD FLANNIGAN.

NEW YORK, June 16.—Edward Flannigan, chief officer of the Slocum, when questioned by Assistant District Attorney Garvin today denied that it was impossible to get water where the fire hose was attached. The supply of water was plentiful, but the hose, which was new, he said, burst in many places almost as soon as the water was turned on and became useless.

Among telegrams received by Mayor McClellan was one from Sir Thomas Lipton, expressing sympathy and offering $1000 toward a relief fund if needed. Another telegram was from Acting Chief Magistrate Bailey Sorley of Glasgow.

BIG CELEBRATION

17th of June Observed in Several Places

BOSTON, June 17.—The 129th anniversary of the Battle of Bunker Hill was celebrated today throughout this city, Lynn and other nearby places. In Boston business was suspended, the stock exchange, banks and wholesale and retail mercantile establishments having arranged to close for the day. Many of the wholesale houses will not be opened today. As usual the greatest point of interest was at Charlestown, and that section of the city was thronged with visitors from a late hour last night. The feature of the celebration there was a military and civic parade. Next in point of interest was the dedication of a monument to Gen. Jos. Warren, on Warren street, Roxbury. Mayor Collins and other city officials reviewed a parade in the forenoon and later with Governor Bates attended the exercises at the monument.

At Lynn thousands of persons witnessed the dedicating of a large number of stones marking graves of revolutionary soldiers, including three monuments in the memory of Capt. Wm. Farrington, John Adam Gagyr and Wm. Atwell, prominent among the early settlers and soldiers of Lynn.

A metropolitan rowing regatta, horse racing at Clyde Park, Brookline, bicycle races, two national league baseball games and a host of other events comprise the athletic program in Boston and vicinity for the day. The weather was fine.

CELEBRATION IN LYNN.

LYNN, Mass., June 17.—Bunker Hill day in Lynn was observed by the Essex chapter, Sons of the Revolution and Lynn historical society, which dedicated three monuments and 108 head stones over graves of Revolutionary soldiers. These stones were all placed in the old Western burying ground. Miss Frances N. Newhall, principal of a local school unveiled a monument to Jahn Adam Gagyr, celebrated as "The shoemaker of Essex," father of the shoe industry and also a Revolutionary soldier. Miss Newhall is a descendant of Gagyr. A monument to Capt. Wm. Farrington was unveiled by Mrs. Carrie Johnson Hollis, and a tablet in memory of Private William Atwell was uncovered by Lewis P. Atwell. Historical sketches were read. Later in the day exercises were held in the First Congregational church.

After a historical sketch by Postmaster Howard Sanderson, he presented the three monuments to the city of Lynn. All those who participated actively in the exercises up to this point are descendants of Revolutionary soldiers, but Mayor Henry W. Eastham, who was called upon to accept the memorials, made no claim to such ancestry, he having been born in England. An address on Revolutionary history in this section was given by U. S. Senator Henry Cabot Lodge. His remarks were entirely informal.

PATRIOTIC EXERCISES.

BOSTON, June 17.—Patriotic exercises were held in the Old North church on Salem street, under the auspices of the Daughters of the American Revolution. In this historic edifice from whose belfry the signal light told Paul Revere of the march of the British troops, hundreds of children assembled to hear again the lesson of patriotism.

The day in general did not vary much from the celebration in previous years. Guns, fireworks and firecrackers played a prominent part and the hospital surgeons were kept busy dressing the wounds caused by the careless handling of explosives.

TABLET DEDICATED.

FRYEBURG, Me., June 17.—A boulder in which is set a bronze tablet commemorative of Lovett's fight with the Pequawket Indians, May 8, 1725, was dedicated today on the site of the battle. A simple ceremony at the monument was followed by exercises in the church.

STOCK MARKET

Today's Quotations on Active Stocks

The following are the closing quotations of today's stock market for active stocks:

NEW YORK STOCKS

Amalgamated	49½
Am Sugar	126⅝
Am Sugar	71⅝
B & O	80⅝
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	48⅝
Chi & Gt W	13¾
C M St P	142¾
C R I & P	20⅞
Con Gas	193½
Ex Rights	16¼
Del & Hud	154
Erie	24½
Erie pfd	58⅝
Manhat Con	147
Met St Ry	111½
Mis Pacific	31½
Mo, Kan & Tex	26¾
Mo, Kan & Tex pfd	56¼
Nat Lead	20⅝
N Y Cen	115
N Y, Ont & W	25¾
Penn R	115
People's Gas	90½
Reading	46¼
So Pac	44⅝
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Tex & Pacific	21⅞
Union Pacific	80⅞
do pfd	93
U S Steel	9
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RUSSIAN-JAPANESE WAR

(Continued.)

EXPLOSION OF SHELL KILLED HUNDREDS

TOKIO, June 17, 9 a. m.—Details in connection with the sinking of the Japanese transport Hitachi by Russian warships are being furnished by survivors. The Russian ships were sighted at 7 o'clock in the morning and in response to a signal the Hitachi was stopped but at 10 o'clock got under way again and attempted to escape. The Russians followed and opened a heavy fire directed at about the water line with the evident intention of destroying troops on board. The fire was terrific and in a few minutes the decks were covered with corpses and washed with blood. One shell struck the engine and killed 200 men. The ship began to fill and sunk gradually by the stern. At 6 o'clock in the evening, she was completely submerged. Capt. Campbell, the English master of the transport jumped overboard at 2 o'clock in the afternoon and is numbered among the missing. The chief engineer was killed on the bridge. The commander of the troops ordered the flag to be burned and then killed himself. The second mate committed suicide. Many of the crew and troops escaped in the boats.

The transport Sado is still afloat but is badly damaged. She is being towed into the nearest port. She sighted the Russian ships 55 miles west of Shiro island. Their signals to stop were unheeded so the Russians opened fire and signalled for those on board the Sado to leave the ship. Upon that the crew took to the boats and in this way many escaped when the ship was evidently fired by the enemy.

The number of men on board the transports and the list of casualties are not as yet obtainable, although one account says there were 1400 aboard.

WARNING ISSUED TO ALL CIVILIANS

VLADIVOSTOK, June 17.—The commander of the fortress Gen. Lavroff, has issued an order warning all civilians to make immediate provision to send their families into the interior so as to avoid peremptory exclusion at a moment of sudden necessity. There are 3000 women and children here.

RUSSIAN FORCES WERE OUTNUMBERED

LIAO YANG, June 16.—During the night of June 11 the Russian forces under General Stakelberg which had been engaged with the Japanese for two days slept in their position four miles south of Vafangow and on the morning of June 15, assumed the offensive and attacked the Japanese lines. The battle lasted all day and the Russians inflicted heavy loss on the enemy. No doubt was felt by the Russians of their ability to force the Japanese back but heavy reinforcements for the enemy had been brought up rapidly from the south arriving in time to turn the scale.

An entire division of fresh Japanese troops was thrown into line against the already tired Russians and the immense superiority in numbers enabled them to overlap the left flank of the Russians who had not sufficient men to meet the movement and were forced to withdraw upon Vafangow. The Russians retired reluctantly and dogedly, not beaten but outnumbered.

MANY SURVIVORS RESCUED BY OFFICERS

TOKIO, June 17, Noon—The officers of the steamer Tosa which rescued many survivors of the Japanese transport Hitachi, confirm the details of her disasterous encounter with the Russian warships so far as already announced.

FOG HAS SAVED RUSSIAN SQUADRON

TOKIO, June 17, 11 a. m.—It is probable that fog has again saved Vladivostok squadron. Many rumors are afloat of an action at sea but they are not confirmed. The Russian ships were first sighted off Oki island at 8.30 a. m. June 15 by a patrol boat, which reported the fact to vice admiral Kamatkura at an unknown base, who left in pursuit with his whole squadron. At 9.30 a. m. on the same date, vice admiral Tsunoda, commanding the Takeshiki, naval station received the information of the enemy's appearance off shore and immediately dispatched a flotilla of torpedo boats in chase but the wind, rain and fog which prevailed prevented them from doing effective work. During the afternoon, the storm increased. Vice admiral Kamatkura with his squadron is still chasing the enemy. The fate of the transport Inui is still unknown. There were foreigners on board the destroyed transports except their officers.

ATTACK ON ETZEL WAS UNPROVOKED

NEW CHWANG, June 17, 6 a. m.—The investigation of the death of Lewis Etzel, correspondent of the London Daily Telegraph who was killed by Chinese soldiers off the coast of Liao Tung peninsula June 7, when cruising in a junk between Shwantaitze and Edickoin company with Ernest Brindle correspondent of the London Daily Mail is finished. The jury finds that there was not the slightest cause for attacking the correspondents. Consul Miller is expected to arrive at Pekin this afternoon to make a personal report of the affair to U. S. Minister Conger.

GALLANT FIGHT MADE BY RUSSIANS

ST. PETERSBURG, June 17.—The news of the result of the battle at Vafangow reached here this morning too late to allow much comment. The public seem to accept the result stoically and are content that the Russians made a gallant and stubborn fight until the arrival of fresh battalions of the enemy compelled General Stakelberg's troops, weary and exhausted with three days' hard fighting, to give way. A special dispatch to the Associated Press from Liao Yang, contains the first Russian estimate of General Stakelberg's losses, placing them at a thousand men and 20 officers. The same dispatch says General Stakelberg had assumed the offensive when the Japanese re-inforcements came up.

The present situation is not clear, although it is believed that General Stakelberg will continue to retire to the northward. It is possible, however, that re-inforcements are being sent to his support.

The message also says that the whereabouts of General M. Stichenko is not known and this latter statement may be pregnant with significance.

JAPANESE FLEET CHASING RUSSIANS

LONDON, June 17—According to advices received at the Japanese legation from Tokio, vice admiral Kamimura's fleet started on the morning of June 15 in pursuit of the Vladivostok squadron.

ACTIVE OPERATIONS AT PORT ARTHUR

ST. PETERSBURG, June 17.—A dispatch received from Vladivostok today showing that the commander there is getting rid of the remaining civilian population, strengthens the belief here that preparations are being made at Vladivostok for the reception of rear admiral Wilhoft's squadron when it comes out of Port Arthur and that active operations against the city are imminent.

BOER WAR HERO

Was Married Wednesday to a Lowell Girl

Mr. Jeremiah Leary, of Boer war fame, and Miss Maggie Cremin were married Wednesday evening by Rev. Fr. Walsh at the parochial residence of St. Patrick's church. The bride was becomingly attired in white muslin and the groom looked the soldier and the man. It was sympathy that prompted him to go to the front in far off South Africa, where he made a hero's record, and it was something stronger than sympathy that called him to the altar Wednesday—it was love. After the ceremony the happy couple proceeded to their home at 148 Dummer street, where they were greeted by a host of friends and a wholesouled wedding reception was enjoyed. The happy couple were the recipients of many beautiful presents, conspicuous among which was $50 in gold, the gift of the groom's brother, Michael Leary.

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PARK COMMISSION

Held Regular Meeting at City Hall Last Night

The Park commissioners held their regular meeting last evening with Chairman Pickman and Messrs. Hall and Drury present, likewise Supt. Whittett who attends all the meetings.

Considerable routine business was transacted. It was stated that the superintendent would soon get to the work of removing dead trees that are dangerous and trimming others the city council having voted $500 for such work.

The superintendent of commons was authorized to take personal charge of the letting of booths on the common for Fourth of July and those desiring lots may procure them by calling on the superintendent at his office.

The committee announced that it had no objection to allowing the sports to be run off on the North Common on July fourth.

CHALLENGE DECLINED.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., June 17.—The Yale Corinthian Yacht club has declined the Harvard Yacht club's challenge for a race of 30-foot boats at Newport. It was proposed to have the race after the New London regatta and the challenge was declined because of the lateness of the date.

FOR ASSAULT AND BATTERY.

John Lavoksid was arrested in Central street this forenoon by Patrolman John J. Crowley on a warrant charging him with assault and battery on Michael Zoujane. The alleged assault was committed about a week ago.

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TROOPS REVIEWED

Grand Showing Made Before the Governor

THOUSANDS WITNESSED THE FINE DISPLAY

One of Most Interesting Days in Camp

CAMP AT FRAMINGHAM, June 17.—About 6 o'clock yesterday morning it rained briskly for a while, and at reveille it looked as though the review day would bring showers, but it brightened along in the forenoon and remained clear during the day. It was warm, however, the first really hot spell since last Saturday. Early in the forenoon visitors commenced to arrive, coming largely from the middle and western part of the state, that section having the majority representation among the troops here, Boston has but one company, L, of the 6th regiment, present.

Governor Bates and his party of state officials, accompanied by a representation of officers of the army stationed in the forts about Boston, headed by Colonel Mills, commander of the military district of Boston, reached the field at 11 o'clock and were received with the regulation honors. A governor's salute was fired by battery B, Worcester.

The chief executive's party was met at South Framingham station by a detail of the governor's staff stationed here, headed by General Brigham, I. G., and Captains Gilnes and Ullman of General Mathews' staff. It took 25 carriages to convey the visitors, but even this imposing sight failed to arouse any enthusiasm in the staid old town. Its people are used to governors, "distinguished citizens" and soldiers.

Once at the camp and the salute over the governor was waited upon by the brigade commander and his entire staff and the "top of the morning" exchanged.

By noon several thousand spectators were on the field, and the company at the various messes taxed the capacity of the commissary to its utmost. Several thousand rations must have been issued for the dinner and supper along.

At the brigade headquarters mess it was necessary to set two tables, and the same was true of many messes down the line. Following the dinner the governor went calling among the organizations, returning in time to mount his horse and ride to the reviewing point. While the troops were assembling in their streets and parks an immense crowd of spectators had gathered at the north of the parade, the line extending almost from brigade headquarters to the cavalry gate at the west of the field.

A change was made yesterday in the method of handling the headquarters' invited guests. Instead of using the carriages, as usual heretofore, and carting the elect to the right of the reviewing point, chairs had been provided on the left of the governor, and to gain this vantage point the "distinguished citizens and citizenesses" walked to it from headquarters. This arrangement is decidedly superior to the old-time method and was appreciated by the "common people," who occupied "standing seats" in the rear.

A little before 3 o'clock Governor Bates, with General Brigham, in the place of General Dalton, who was unable to ride, and accompanied by his staff, rode to his position, receiving a salvo of applause from the spectators.

In the meantime the organizations of the brigade had formed on their own parades, and at the command from Lieut.-Col. Sanborn formed in brigade line of messes. The 6th owing to a wrong position taken by the brigade guide, it was said, overshot the mark and had to "back water." This matter adjusted, the command was turned over to General Mathews, who presented the brigade to the governor. The usual ride of the commander-in-chief with General Mathews, both accompanied by their staffs, around the brigade followed, the men, and even the animals, standing handsomely. Returning to the reviewing point, the brigade, following a change of direction by the left flank, was put in motion for the march past.

Gen. Mathews headed the brigade and was remembered by his friends. He, together with his staff, saluted handsomely and wheeled into position beside the governor. Harrison's signal men headed the marching men. They looked well, but the lieutenant was wrong in his interpretation of saluting distance. Next came Col. Clark, with the 2d infantry. The colonel received a welcome from the spectators, and earned it by making the prettiest salute of the day. Following him came his regiment, the companies swinging along like automatons. It never made a better passage in its history, but special commendation should be awarded the first and third companies, 1st battalion; the fourth company, 2d battalion, and the second company of the 3d battalion, for their excellent distances between ranks.

Col. Darling followed the 2d with his 6th regiment. Gold dollars were thrown his way as he passed along the line of spectators and gave a most graceful salute to his chief. Behind him came his command of 12 solid companies, marching along with a somewhat slow step and with fronts capitally aligned. Distances between ranks, excepting in the second company of the 1st battalion, were invariably too close, while distances between companies were very good, excepting in the 3d battalion.

The infantry out of the road, the artillery took the attention of the field, Maj. Duchesney heading the battalion, giving a good salute, his staff doing likewise. Battery C of Lawrence headed the battalion. Capt. Sargent saluting some paces too soon. The battery looked well. B battery of Worcester closed the artillery feature, Capt. Wheeler saluting too soon. This battery looked well, although one of its guns was out of plumb, and distances, with better animals, would doubtless have been improved.

Capt. Bell, with his ambulance corps, divided into six little platoons, brought up the rear of the column. It certainly never made a better appearance in its history than it did yesterday. This closed the review proper, but it was followed by a ride past, at the trot, of the artillery and cavalry. This was handsomely done and proved the most interesting event of the afternoon.

Following the ride past of the mounted force, the governor proceeded to headquarters, where he held a little reception and later took supper at the brigade mess. He left the camp at 8.30 o'clock on a special electric car over the Boston & Worcester road. The immense crowd that had visited the camp possibly the greatest in number since the volunteers were organized here in 1898, left after evening parade and at retreat the colors went down on one of the most interesting days in the history of the 1st brigade.

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FOR FIRE ALARM AND POLICE PATROL SYSTEMS.

A bulletin on the application of the electric telegraph and telephone to the fire alarm and police patrol systems of the cities of the United States has been issued by the department of commerce and labor and while the bulletin is of a statistical nature it contains facts that are generally interesting.

The bulletin states that of the 764 fire alarm systems in the United States, 641 used overhead construction exclusively, and of this number 387, or over 60 per cent. were to be found in communities of less than 10,000 population. This confirms the statement as to the extension of municipal fire alarm systems in the smaller cities and towns. There were 83 systems which used combined overhead and underground construction. There were only 114 municipalities which owned their entire pole line, while 509 leased, or used without cost, the supports for their overhead wires and cables.

Table 5 shows the miles of conduit and the wire mileage for the 63 systems reporting the use of underground construction.

It appears from the various tables that in the 83 systems included, 414 miles of conduits were owned and 445 miles were leased, giving a total of 11,133 miles of single wire and single wire in cables from which the streets have immediately been released. This underground circuit was more widely distributed than might perhaps be expected, being found in no fewer than 23 states and the District of Columbia.

As might be expected, the 764 systems, while distributed through 48 states and territories, are to be found chiefly in the older and more densely populated sections. Massachusetts has the largest number, namely 105; New York is second, with 70 (or 71 if New York city were to be credited with two systems instead of being counted as one); New Jersey is third, with 57; followed by Pennsylvania, with 66; Ohio, 50; Michigan, 40; Indiana, 37; Illinois, 34; California, 28; Connecticut and Wisconsin, each 26; Maine, 23; Iowa, 19; New Hampshire, 18; Minnesota, 17; Colorado and Kentucky, each 12; Vermont, 11; and Texas, 10. New York, however, leads in almost every respect, having 5,578 signaling boxes, as compared with the next state in rank, Massachusetts, which has 4890. With regard to the use of the telephone as central station equipment, Maryland is reported as having 1969 drops, or lines, or a shade less than 30 per cent. of the total capacity of the country thus engaged, while Pennsylvania has 2208, or 34 per cent. In telephonic capacity 64 per cent. of the total is thus accounted for, but as this represents only 7 switchboards, 1 in Maryland and 6 in Pennsylvania, it can not be accepted as a full indication of the facts, 55 of the boards being in use for such work in 21 of the other states or territories.

The total number of signaling and annunciating boxes in the United States was 37,832, from which 85,070 alarms were received. Of these alarms 12,794 are credited to New York, from 5694 boxes, or 2 per box, per annum, whereas in the state of Illinois with 2278 boxes, the number of alarms received was 9,027, or 4 per box. In Massachusetts, with 4890 boxes, 9491 alarms were received, or 2 per box. In the state of Pennsylvania, with 3566 boxes, 4571 alarms were reported as having been received, or about 1.3 per box. In Kentucky, with 603 boxes, 1864 alarms were reported, or 3 per box. In Minnesota, with 338 boxes, 2430 fire alarms were reported, or 3 per box. The variations in the average number of fire alarms per box may be due either to the prevalence of wooden construction in buildings resulting in more frequent fire alarms, or to the heavy duties thrown on the boxes by distributing them more sparsely. This latter supposition, however, does not appear to be borne out upon examining the distribution of boxes per mile of wire. For example, Illinois, with a total of 2820 miles of wire, had 2278 boxes, or less than 1 box per mile of wire, while Pennsylvania with 7591 miles of wire, had only 3566 boxes, or less than 1 box to 2 miles of wire. Minnesota had 338 boxes to 1084 miles of wire, or about the same proportion as Massachusetts, with 5390 miles of wire and 4890 boxes. New York appears to be well equipped in this respect, having 5594 boxes to 4937 miles of wire, thus giving more than 1 box to the mile.

Reports were received from 148 electric police patrol systems. The data for systems used interchangeably for the fire alarm and police patrol services have already been referred to in connection with the statistics for fire alarm systems. The service is of much more recent date than that of the fire alarm, and does not, therefore include so many plants.

In the table showing the number of street miles of conduit Lowell is credited with 5, Boston 54, Worcester 19 and Springfield 18.

SPEED LAW

MAGISTRATE CRANE WILL HELP IN HAVING IT OBSERVED.

Magistrate Crane of New York, formerly of this city, believes that the speed limits set for automobiles should be observed and when John Allen, 35 years old, an officer in the Kings County Automobile Association, was arraigned in the Jefferson Market police court on the charge of violating the speed law, Magistrate Crane waxed savage in his comments.

"If I am crossing the street," he said, "I am started by a horn tooted by one of you autoists. If I don't get out of the way in time I ascend, go up, come down, and am seriously if not fatally injured."

Allen said that he would like to take the magistrate for a ride so that he could personally observe the speed at which he was accustomed to go. The magistrate replied that he did not want his epitaph written before his time.

Allen was held in $300 bail for trial.

UNKNOWN WORKMAN KILLED.

NEW YORK, June 17.—One of the big automobiles used to take sightseers about the city, ran over and killed an unknown elderly man in Broadway last night, while members of the merry party were laughing and singing.

CLOSING DAY

OF REUNION OF CONFEDERATE VETERANS.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., June 17.—As a fitting climax to the reunion of the United Confederate Veterans, Nashville and her thousands of guests yesterday gave the veterans, as they proudly marched through the densely crowded streets, an ovation which will live long in the memory of its recipients, as well as those who paid the honor.

The parade was representative not only of every southern state but many camps located in the far west, one in Montana and another in Ohio, had delegations in line.

Mrs. John B. Gordon, the widow of the former commander-in-chief, stood at the front of the reviewing stand and drawn up across the street were General Lee and his staff.

The veterans cheered their leader to the echo as they passed and then they turned and saluted the widow of John B. Gordon. Mrs. Gordon was deeply moved at the manifestations of affection.

Another affecting incident was the welcome and salute of the Old Stonewall Jackson brigade as it passed.

O'Donnell's hacks are the best in town.

OUR LADIES' SUIT SALE

Of last week a great success, but we have about forty left which we shall sell at **$7.50**

A suit that sold formerly for $15, $18, $20 to $25

Nobby Shirt Waist Suits

We have a new line of fine Lawn Suits, in white, tan and black and white, perfect fitting at **$3.98, $5 to $7.50**

Separate Skirts

New Skirts in walking lengths, come in three shades of grey and blue or black, priced at about half value **$3.98**

Summer Skirts

Of Duck, P. K. and Linen, in several different styles, priced at

79c, 98c, $1.50 to $5

New Voile Skirts

Elegantly trimmed with taffeta, strapping and lace, exclusive styles at

$5.98, 6.50, 7.50 to $15

Wash Silk Waists

Pretty effects in white wash silk, plain and lace trimmed styles, priced at

$1.98, $2.49, $2.98 to $5

Misses' Coats

Sizes 10 to 14 years, just a few left at just half price

$2.98, $3.98 and $5

Bell Shoe Dept.

Every Saturday we place special lots of goods on sale as a leader and challenge anyone in New England to duplicate the goods at our prices. For Friday and Saturday we have three leaders: —

MEN'S

$3.00 and $3.50 Tan, Vici, Russia Calf, Patent Colt and Calf Shoes and Oxfords. All hand-sewed..... **1.97**

We also have about 150 pairs of Ladies' Oxfords, in Patent Colt and Vici leathers, with rubber heels, here Saturday..... **1.48**

LADIES'

Tan, Gibson Tie, Patent Colt and Vici Oxfords, sold everywhere for $3, for Saturday **1.98**

One lot of Boys' Shoes for every-day wear, sizes 11 to 5½. Saturday **98c**

CHILDREN'S

1500 pairs of Baby Shoes, sizes 1 to 3, while they last **9c pr**

320 pairs of Ladies' Oxfords, in Patent Colt and Vici Kid leathers. **98c**

Shoes That Wear. Good Shoes That Are Cheap

Five Hundred Pairs of Men's Lace and Congress Shoes..... 98c

One lot of Children's, all sizes..... 73c

A few pairs of Ladies' Tan Shoes..... $1.19

THE BELL SHOE AND CLOTHING CO.

Old Post Office. 31-14 Merrimack Street.

LEGAL NOTICES

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Probate Court. To the heirs-at-law, and all other persons interested in the estate of Patrick Ducey, late of Lowell in said County, deceased.

Whereas, Mary Ducey, administratrix of the estate of said deceased, has presented to said Court her petition for license to sell at private sale, in accordance with the offer named in said petition, or upon such terms as may be adjudged best, the whole of a certain parcel of the real estate of said deceased for the payment of debts, legacies and charges of administration, and for other reasons set forth in said petition.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge in said County, on the twenty-eighth day of June, A. D. 1904, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this sixteenth day of June in the year one thousand nine hundred and four.

W. E. ROGERS, Asst. Register.

SUMMER RESORTS

"OCEANSIDE HOTEL"—Lynn Beach, Opens June 17, by owner, Mrs. Lottie Roby; all rooms overlook the ocean and new baseball park; table unexcelled. Rates $1, $1.25 and $1.50 per day, according to the rooms taken. Patrons of this house will do well to engage rooms early this season.

MONEY TO LOAN

DON'T BE SHORT—Plenty of money to loan to salaried people, merchants, boarding house keepers, teamsters, etc. Easy weekly payments, lowest rates in the city. Confidential; no publicity; no delay. Special inducements for quick payments. Private office. U. S. Loan Co., 90 Prescott St., room 5, Lowell, Mass.

PAWNBROKER—Money to loan; money loaned on all valuable articles, clothing; rates reasonable. A Stein, 343 Middlesex street, Lowell, Mass.

MONEY TO LOAN on furniture, pianos and all personal property. Private office. (Strictly confidential.) Room 5, Swan building, 26 Central street.

MONEY ON CREDIT without security. Boarding houses, retail merchants and salaried people; easy payments; lowest rates in the city. Merrimack Loan Co., 25 Associate building.

MONEY TO LOAN salaried people, retail merchants, teamsters, boarding houses, without security; easy payments; largest business in 42 principal cities. Tolman, room 26 Associate building.

MONEY TO LOAN at short notice on furniture, pianos, etc. Leases paid off and more money advanced. All business strictly confidential. Address W. E. Leihhs, room 9, Barristers hall.

MISCELLANEOUS

DR. BRETON has moved to 255 Merrimack street, where he will treat all chronic cases. Office hours, 10 to 12; 2 to 4; 7 to 8.30.

A. F. LAMBERT & CO., Contractor and shingler will furnish all materials if desired. 252 Aiken st.

LACE CURTAINS LAUNDERED at 25 cents a pair work guaranteed, also called for and delivered. Mrs. Brown, 177 Agawam st., cor of St. James.

RAILROAD AND COMMERCIAL telegraphy taught thoroughly by an experienced telegrapher, positions guaranteed when competent. H. L. Whitten, 930 Gorham st.

BENT'S NO 2 for excessive sweating feet; harmless, 25c at Fatts and Burkinshaw's only, corner Middlesex and Thorndike sts.

WHITE SEWING MACHINE CO., 376 Bridge street. The light ball bearing rotary and vibrator machines excel all others for quick sewing, light running and durability. Second hand machines in stock.

DRINK GLORIA for new and vigorous life. Boyle Bros. Telephone.

We have all the new spring and summer styles in hats at Delorme's the hatter; old hats made over. 261 Middlesex st.

PRUNING, grading, turfing and all kinds of gardening done in the best manner by John Oliver, 179 Varnum avenue. Telephone 1019-5.

LADIES—Dr. LaFranco's Compound gives positive relief; powerful combination; used by 200,000 women; price 25 cents; druggists or by mail. Address LaFranco & Co., Philadelphia, Pa.

LIMBURG—Chimney expert; chimneys swept and repaired. Residence 1128 Bridge street. Telephone.

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Gentleman's plain gold band ring, owner's name inside. Liberal reward if returned to 909 Middlesex st.

FOUND—A pocketbook, the owner can have by describing property by telephone. Call 35.

FOUND—Pocketbook containing a small sum of money, owner can have by calling at 6 Brown's Court, off Marshall st. and proving property.

LOST—Black and tan hound, name on collar Frank Willett. Return to 325 Worthen st. and receive reward.

LOST—Between Appleton mill and Royal st. a pay envelope. Finder please return to 70 Royal st. and receive reward.

LOST—A pin. L. H. C. The finder will please return to Grant Jewelry Store.

LOST—A great deal of time is lost hunting for a tenant or a tenement. Advertise in The Sun and save time.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

FOR SALE—On Rogers street, Belvidere, two story, ten room house with bath and pantry and seven thousand feet of land all fenced in. Smith & Cavanaugh, Donovan building, Central st.

FOR SALE—30 acre farm near Lowell, $500; hard wood lot, nine room house built in 1898 cost $1550, good barn, 100 ft. hen house, price $1500, good barn. Gagnon 173 Merrimack st., Lowell.

HOME FOR SALE IN THE HIGHLANDS—House and barn 37 Dover st. A two and a half story slated roof house with 8 large rooms, also wash room with set tubs, hot and cold water, pantry, bath room and large storage room. Furnace heat. Stable for two horses, good carriage room. Plenty of fruit trees, sixty-six hundred feet of land. Property in good repair. Call at 278 Branch st., cor. of Dover.

FOR SALE—Summer cottage on an island 1½ acres, will be sold at a sacrifice if sold at once. J. W. Bruce & Co., 26 Central street, Room 1.

FOR SALE—In Centralville, a two-story house, eight rooms, bath, hot and cold water, at 34 Varnum street; price and terms to suit purchaser. Apply at 403 Bridge street, corner Third.

AUTOMOBILES

TAKEN IN TRADE and will sell at a sacrifice. One steam automobile, will carry four passengers. Price $350. One Pierce, gasoline automobile, Price $440. One Eldredge gasoline automobile, double cylinder, 8 horse power, sliding gear transmission, three speeds forward and one reverse. This auto is practically new. Cost $700, a bargain at $575. Demonstration given on all of these automobiles. Norton & Fuller, 7 Hurd st.

SPECIAL NOTICES

PRACTICAL DRESSMAKER—Miss M. W. Taylor solicits your patronage, 17 Caddell Avenue, Crescent st., off Chelmsford st.

DAVID HUNTLEY wishes to announce to his friends and patrons that he has opened up a bakery store at 1030 Gorham st. with a fresh supply of pies, cake, bread and pastry every day, wedding cakes made to order.

M. A. GILLIGAN & SON, 77 Hampshire st., Centralville, housepainting, decorating, paperhanging and kalsomining, estimates furnished on all kinds of work.

WINDOW SCREENS GIVEN AWAY—A large hard wood window screen given away with a pound of tea or two pounds of coffee. Dickson's Tea Store, 68 Merrimack street.

BILLIARD AND POOL tables bought, sold and repaired, all work guaranteed. S. Scott, 34 Central st.

NOTICE—We have just received a large lot of teas, English Breakfast, Assam, Ceylon, Oolong and Japan from London, England. They are of the finest quality, also we are giving $3.00 worth of any kind of trading stamps with one pound of our 60c Tea, $6.00 worth with our 50c Tea, $2.00 worth with our 30c Coffee, $3.00 worth with our 35c Coffee. The Elwood Tea Co., Davis Sq.

THE SUN IN BOSTON—The Sun is on sale every day at both news-stands of the Union Station in Boston. Don't forget this when taking your train for Lowell.

TO LET

TO LET—A front room with the use of bath, 88 Elm st., right bell.

TO LET—Carpenter shop, 29 Middle st. Has been used as a carpenter shop 20 years.

TO LET—A tenement, five rooms, bath and pantry, hot and cold water at 204 South st.

TO LET—Furnished rooms to let with use of bath at 117 Merrimack st. Apply New Idea Shoe Co.

TO LET—Tenement of four rooms on High street, $7.00 per month. Key at 107 High street.

TO LET—Tenement to rent of 3 rooms down stairs. Address 32 Franklin st.

TO RENT—8 room furnished cottage at So. Wellfleet, Cape Cod Mass., near beach, also boating and fishing.

TO LET—Old established Chinese laundry. Inquire Pike, Cor. Howard and Middlesex sts.

TO LET—A good tenement, Liberty Square, low rent. Pike's, Cor. Howard and Middlesex sts.

TO LET—Rooms with or without board. 63 Bartlett street.

TO LET—Furnished rooms to let at 117 Merrimack st. Apply at New Idea Shoe Co.

TO LET—Furnished and unfurnished rooms, steam heat and bath at 513 Fletcher st.

TO LET—5 room tenement at 16 Lombard st. with or without barn.

TO LET—Two furnished rooms, suitable for doctor or fortune teller, one flight up. 696 Merrimack st.

TO LET—Tenement with all modern conveniences, $15.00 a month. Inquire at 35 Royal st.

TO LET—Cottage house of five rooms in Batchelder Place, off Walker st. Key at cottage near by. Wm. A. Read, 223 Liberty st.

TO LET—A few extra clean, tidy tenements to rent in very best repair. We can give you three, four, five, six or nine rooms at prices ranging from $5.50 to $16.00 per month and you can have your choice of several locations. Call and see us, T. H. Elliott, 64 Central st.

TO LET AT HAMPTON BEACH—Rooms at reasonable rates in a very desirable cottage. Special rates for the month of June. Address A. D. Winslow, Hampton Beach, N. H.

TO LET—Good 5 room tenements to let, near mills, newly painted and papered. $2.00 week. Apply Pendergast's store, 293 Lakeview Ave.

TO LET—A seaside cottage of seven furnished rooms, good fishing and boating, at South Wellfleet, Mass. Apply to Mrs H. F. Trueworthy, 17 Wachusett st, off Thirteenth st. Lowell.

TO LET—Furnished room on School street, near Pawtucket. Gentleman preferred. Address C. M. W., Sun Office.

TO LET—Very pleasant front and two side rooms with bath, reasonable. 271 Gorham st, opposite Court house.

TO LET—Two houses at Salisbury Beach, rent very low, for further particulars address Mrs. A. T. Clark, 75 Marlboro st., Amesbury, Mass.

TO LET—Suite of unfurnished rooms at 29 Bridge street.

TO LET—One of the best located stores in town, corner of Summer and South streets; will rent for liquor or grocery store; a good chance for the right party. For further particulars call at 198 South street.

TO LET—At 63 Howard street, furnished rooms within three minutes' walk of Middlesex station.

TO LET—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Address or call at 19 Dutton street, after 6 o'clock.

TO LET—A first class boarding house in good repair, all furnished with curtains, 21 rooms 512 Central street. Inquire 34 Jackson or 796 Bridge street.

TO LET—Nicely furnished room with all modern conveniences and privileges of a home. 105 Chestnut street.

TENEMENTS—Two room and four room tenements, Chestnut square. Inquire 81 Chestnut street.

THE PLACE TO BUY YOUR **CASH REGISTER** Easy payments. No interest. A liberal allowance for old registers. International Mfg. Co., Room 45, Donovan building.

U. S. Revenue Returns show increased sales on the **7-20-4** 10c CIGAR

During 1903 nearly 600,000 cigars, 29 years' continuous increase in sales, show that quality counts. R. G. SULLIVAN, Mfgr., Manchester, N. H.

Every Woman is interested and should know about the wonderful **Marvel Whirling Spray Douche**

ASK YOUR DRUGGIST FOR IT. If he cannot supply the MARVEL, accept no other, but send stamp for illustrated book—sealed. It gives full particulars and directions invaluable to ladies. MARVEL CO., 41 Park Row, New York.

HELP WANTED

WANTED—Young man to canvass the French section of Lowell for a well known food product. Must be neat and of good character. Will pay salary and expenses. Apply by letter to W. J. G., 6 Burbank Bldg.

WANTED—To hire 2 first class nailers and an experienced man for squaring up saw. Apply to A. A. Flint's Box Factory, Tyngsboro, Mass.

WANTED—A barber at 370 Broadway.

FOR SALE—Cheap a number of first class wall brackets. Call at 84 Ford st. John Leath.

FOR SALE—Beer pump and water pressure for bar room. Call 39 Sargent st.

FOR SALE—Road mare, sound and fearless, open buggy, sleigh and harness. Will sell separately or at a bargain for the outfit. Tel 938-4.

Fresh Haddock, 3c pound; Fresh Halibut 10c pound. All kinds of fish, plenty and good. Pike's Market, Cor. Middlesex and Howard sts.

FOR SALE—New Cheese 10c pound; Leg Mutton, 10c pound; Forequarters Mutton, 5c pound; New Potatoes, 5c qt.; New Wax Beans, 5c qt.; Fresh Fowl, 12½c pound. Pike's Market, Cor Middlesex and Howard sts.

FOR SALE—100 cord pine wood; 100 cord pine trash wood; 25 cord oak wood. Orders at Pike's Market, Cor. Howard and Middlesex sts.

WANTED—Temperate farm hand. Inquire Pike, Cor. Howard and Middlesex sts.

WANTED—Ladies as house demonstrators for articles for ladies use. Lowell and vicinity. For particulars address A, this office.

WANTED—Table girl at 213 Middlesex st.

WANTED—A boy. Inquire at this office.

ANY INTELLIGENT PERSON may earn $50 to $100 monthly corresponding for newspapers; $5 a column for work in spare time; no canvassing. Send for particulars. Northern Press Syndicate, Room 33, Lockport, N. Y.

AGENTS WANTED—Sell our $1 bottle Sarsaparilla for 35c; best seller; 200 per cent. profit; write today for terms and territory. F. R. Greene, 115 Lake St., Chicago.

SITUATIONS WANTED

SITUATION WANTED—By a boy of 15, in meat, grocery or any store, experienced in care of horses. Address J. L. R., 249 High street.

WANTED—Children to board in East Chelmsford, second house on right past city line. Take Boston car.

WANTED—A chance to work as a salesgirl in a bakery or restaurant or store. Address A. B., this office.

SITUATION WANTED—By a young man of good habits, can furnish good references. Address C. A. P., Sun Office.

EXPERIENCED SALESMAN with English, French and Greek wishes to find situation. Address N. Pt., Sun Office.

WANTED—By young lady graduate from business college, position as stenographer and typewriter. Address Stenographer, 96 Westford street, City.

NURSE—Thoroughly experienced nurse, capable of acting as midwife; confinement cases a specialty. Address 29 Chestnut square.

WANTED—By a sober man, work on farm. Inquire 368 Broadway.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—First class 16 ft. canoe. Inquire 61 Sixth st. after 6 p. m.

FOR SALE—Driving mare 8 years old, would exchange for working horse. C. Devenoux, 724 Central street.

FOR SALE—Thoroughbred collie puppies, six weeks old, sable and white. Also Cocker Spaniel puppies from prize stock. 26 young pigs, good breed. Box 466, City.

MOTOR BICYCLE—5 horse power De dion motor pacing machine cheap for cash, record 1.12 for mile. 195 Moody st.

FOR SALE—Grocery store to sell, well stocked. Doing fine business. Selling on account of sickness. Apply at Sun Office.

RUBBER STAMPS at wholesale prices: 1-in. one line stamps, 15c; 1½ in., 20c; 35c ink pads, 25c; 25c ink pads, 15c; 50c linen markers, 25c; business stamps, 15c per line. J. M. Fellows, 155 Merrimack st.

WANTED

WANTED—A small store, suitable for fruit, dry goods, in good location, stocked or vacated. Address M. J. B., Sun Office.

WANTED—By neat American woman day and hour work, best of references. Call 5 Fernald st.

WANTED—Washing, ironing and sweeping by Nova Scotia woman. E. A., 179 Tremont st.

WANTED—Store with small tenement Address A. J. H., Sun Office

WANTED—A chance to place a baby in the country and in a good family. Inquire at this office.

WANTED—Children to board in country, desirable home, terms reasonable. Address Box 163, Billerica Centre.

WANTED—Children to board at 457 Lakeview Ave.

CASH PAID for second-hand furniture, also sold and exchanged. Bornstein & Quinn, 118-120 Gorham street.

QUINCY HOUSE, 53 Lee street—Boarders wanted; three square 20c meals for 30c a day, 7 days in the week. James McGregor, prop.

CARNEY & BUNKER

GOLD, SILVER AND NICKEL PLATERS.

Polishing, Lacquering, Dipping and Tinning. Sole manufacturers of the Carney Weavers' Drawing-in Hook.

37 Shattuck Street, Cor. Market.

Telephone 8-15-12.

HETEROPHORIA

Or muscular insufficiency causes headaches, tired eyes and dizziness.

Optician George G. Rogers,

145 MERRIMACK STREET,

Up Stairs.

CHICHESTER'S ENGLISH **PENNYROYAL PILLS** Original and Only Genuine. SAFE. Always reliable. Ladies, ask Druggist for CHICHESTER'S ENGLISH in RED and Gold metallic boxes, sealed with Blue Ribbon. Take no other. Refuse Dangerous Substitutions and Imitations. Buy of your Druggist, or send 4c in stamps for Particulars, Testimonials and "Relief for Ladies," in letter, by return Mail. 10,000 Testimonials. Sold by all Druggists. Chichester Chemical Co. Mention this paper. Madison Square, PHILA., PA.

LOWELL VISITORS

Had Good Time at Convention in Boston

William Raygan, Frank Cox, William H. Brown and P. B. McHugh of this city attended the convention of the New England Allied Printing Trades in Boston. These gentlemen have returned and report a most enjoyable and successful event. The delegates were entertained under the auspices of the Allied Printing Trades of Boston, and the visitors were given a great big time.

After the adjournment of the convention on Tuesday the delegates, to the number of thirty-one, were taken to Rowe's wharf where a tug boat was waiting to take them on a trip down the harbor. The visitors were landed at Deer Island, where they became, for a time, the guests of the city of Boston. They were served a sumptuous buffet lunch at the conclusion of which the gentlemen came under the guidance of L. B. Perkins, who for eighteen years, has been an official connected with the reformatory institutions of Deer Island.

The visitors were shown over the island, on which there were 1500 prisoners. There are accommodations for 1885, and the prisoners are kept in discipline by 110 employes. The island embraces about 200 acres, on which is grown all the vegetables used by the institution, except potatoes. One of the sights on the island is the "piggery," where 1000 porkers, old and young, have their help. The delegates found in Mr. Perkins a most affable gentleman, and one who possessed a mine of information, and who was not backward in answering all questions.

The prison for women at the island is undergoing some improvements and one of the delegates, anxious to see all there was to be seen as he did not contemplate a longer sojourn at the island in the near future, fiddled-faddled with a lock on one of the doors which opened, suddenly, and as quickly closed behind him. The door was locked then, for sure, and nobody seemed to know anything about the key. Officers looked high and low and after searching for more than half an hour a skeleton was resurrected and the delegate was released. His collar was wilted and his comrades said, in all sincerity, that the man aged a year during his half hour in prison.

On Tuesday, the visitors were taken on one of the touring cars to visit the historical spots and beautiful places in the city. They were accompanied by "a lecturer," who pointed out and explained all the interesting matters. At 6.30 o'clock the delegates sat down to a banquet tendered by the different Boston unions. This was followed by an entertainment and interesting speeches by members of the craft.

TWO FRAUDS.

The merchant who would try to sell a pair of shoes without opening the box in which they came from the factory, would be regarded as a fraud and a trickster, and the newspaper which denies to the advertiser all the information he desires in reference to its circulation, must not expect the confidence of its patrons.

We Retire From Business This Month

Selling out Entire Stock for any price it will bring

Now is Your Chance to Secure Bargains

50c and 75c Waists, 38c. $1.00 White Lawn 50c
$1.25 and $1.50 White Lawn 78c.

All other goods selling at prices in same proportion.

INVESTIGATE THIS!! DO NOT DELAY!!

SEE US TODAY

ROYAL CLOAK STORE —103— Corham Street

Lightening the Cost of Summer Hosiery

Two remarkable offerings that cannot be duplicated elsewhere in New England.

Lace Lisle, drop stitch, black hose, high spliced heel and toe, embroidered in white, blue and red silk. Other stores would advertise them special at 25 cents.

Silk finished, imported Maco thread, lace lisle hose, narrowed foot and heavy sole, extra elastic top, high spliced heel and toe. Always sold before for 25 cents.

Your choice while they last 12½c

They are for prompt folks only.

The White Store

114—Merrimack Street—116

IN POLICE COURT

Boys Who Stole Pocket-Knife

MADE TOO MANY TRIPS TO HARDWARE STORE

Two Young Girls Devoid of Shame

Michael Mitchell, 14, and George L. Wayne, 15, were in police court today charged with the larceny of a pocket knife. Their cases were continued to next Friday. Lawyer McClure appeared for the Mitchell boy and told the court that he would be able to secure bail for his youthful client. It was only yesterday, Mr. McClure said, that the Mitchell boy's brother was buried. The boys went into Napoleon D. Lafluer's hardware store in East Merrimack street yesterday and while one engaged the attention of the clerk the other made love to a pretty pearl handled knife. The boys made two visits to the store. It was during the first visit that the Mitchell boy took the knife and when he showed it to Wayne outside the latter suggested a second visit. They went back and the Wayne boy again engaged the clerk in conversation. The Mitchell boy, in his anxiety to "cabbage" another knife, dropped the one he had and the clerk took a stroll wiseward. Half an hour later the boys were at the police station.

SEEMED TO ENJOY IT.

Grace Grolette, 15, and Rosanna Belanger, 16, were charged with leading idle and vicious lives. As a general rule the young girl who is assigned to a seat on the prisoner's bench in the police court either cries or in some way appears penitent. But not so with the girls of this story. They laughed all through the session and before court opened they were winking and throwing kisses at their friends in the gallery. Both girls seemed to be bereft of all sense of shame and the stories they told the police of their lives during the last few weeks was as disgusting as it was sad. They slept in empty buildings and associated with men of as many different nationalities as they happened to meet in this cosmopolitan city. The girls were scantily clad when arrested by Officer Frank Fox in upper Moody street yesterday and they told him they had been without proper food for several days. The Grolette girl was continued to Friday and the Belanger girl, by request of her mother, was sent to the house of the Good Shepherd in Boston.

NO CHARGE AGAINST THEM.

James F. Gibbons, 15, and John F. Gibbons, 17, were arrested by Inspectors Laflamme and Maher yesterday for the alleged larceny of a bicycle from a house in Tilden street. Today the boys were allowed to go as the charge against them was not pressed.

FOR DRUNKENNESS.

William H. Hieson was placed on probation. Seven first offenders were fined $2 each and one was released.

LADIES—

It isn't often you get such a chance to save on high grade suits as is offered this week at the Merrimack in their women's dept—they're selling their $18.50, $20 and $25 suits at $10. See them in their window.

REAL ESTATE SALES

FOR THE WEEK ENDING JUNE 17, 1904.

LOWELL.

Mathew Hunter to William Manning, land on Broadway, $1.

Nathaniel Peabody to Marie Louise Desmarais, land with buildings on Cumberland Road, $1.

George H. Gage to Pierre Brunelle, land on Riverside street, $1.

Mary E. Cox administratrx to Margaret Flaherty, Mary A. Connolley estate Fulton st., $800.

William F. Copson etux. to Amos F. Hill etal, land with buildings on Ames Place, $1.

Francis E. and Richard W. Shaw to Nellie McIlhuchey, land with buildings on Chapel st., $1125.

Catherine Delaney to Patrick Gilbride, land with buildings on Market st., $1.

Alice M. Donovan to Ernest E. Shelters, land with buildings on Stevens st., $1.

Lowell Institution to Chas. F. Varnum, the E. N. Weed estate Wannalancit st., $7000.

Charles F. Varnum to Katherine F. O'Donnell, land with buildings on Wannalancit st., $1.

Charles W. Morris to John M. Dunfy, land on Moody st., $1.

Marion M. Barrows to Martin O'Sullivan, land with buildings on Fletcher st., $1.

Lowell Inst. for Savings to Harry W. J. Howe, the Henry A. Coburn estate Stevens st., $866.

Rogers Hall to Hannah Stauss, land on Marlborough st., $1.

Thos. F. Coleman, administrator to Mary Bartwell land with buildings on Whipple st., $1875.

Simeon Lagasse to Charles Delphond etal, land with buildings on Cumberland Road, $1.

Charles I. Hood to Chas. F. Devine, land with buildings on Bowden st, $1.

Katherine Tucke etal to Georgia Ribeour, land on Bridge st., $1.

DRACUT.

Adelaide S. Webster to Alfred Sharpe, land with buildings, $50.

Bessie C. Cummings to Dorothy Pratt, land with buildings at Lakeview Terrace, $1.

TYNGSBOROUGH.

Paul Payette to Sarah A. Swanwick, land with buildings, $1.

Sarah A. Swanwick to Margaret O'Brien land with buildings, $1.

DUNSTABLE.

Sarah R. Roby etal to Charles H. Dickenson, lot of land on Salmon Brook, $1.

Fred W. Parkhurst to John F. Fletcher, land with buildings on Pleasant st., $1.

Fred W. Lovejoy etal to Frank H. Ward, the Joseph Frossard Farm, $1.

TEWKSBURY.

Jacob W. Wilbur to Wm. E. Davenport, land at Wamesit Terrace, $1.

Chas I. Hood to William J. Hardy, land with buildings on Andover st., $1.

WILMINGTON.

Lawrence C. Swain to Chas. B. Osborn, land with buildings on Middlesex avenue, $1.

John W. Scott to Trustee of City Library 13 acres of land, John Davis estate $1.

CHELMSFORD.

Joseph Brouillet to Michael J. Garrity, land with buildings, North Chelmsford, $1.

PAID THE BET

AMASA PRATT FURNISHED FINE ENTERTAINMENT.

A royal entertainment and a man of his word was the verdict of a party of friends entertained by Mr. Amasa Pratt Thursday afternoon and evening. It will be known that Mr. Pratt is a director of the Union National bank and not giving to betting, but ther came a time, when his enthusiasm got a bit the better of him and unfortuately for him he said he would wager sometody thus and so. He was on the losing side and, to be honest about it, the bet should have been paid a long time ago. Mr. Pratt, however, is a very busy man and he has to plan very shrewdly to find an hour for pleasure. He made up his mind, that come what would, he'd pay that debt and he paid it—yes and with compound interest. It was to his associates in the bank that he was indebted and he made his plans for Thursday afternoon. He engaged a special car and exactly at 3.30 o'clock in the afternoon Mr. P. E. Sullivan, who is not only general manager of the Boston & Northern street railway but also one of the directors of the bank drew up at the bank door with the special car.

When the count was made it was found that the full complement of directors were on hand and the host shouted "all aboard for Boston." To say that the trip to Boston was enjoyed is putting it rather mildly. The men who rarely indulge in such outings had a great big time and upon arriving in Boston Mr. Pratt led the way to Young's hotel where his guests were dined and entertained. There was nothing missing. Boston's best markets had been canvassed and the best they had to offer was procured for the occasion, and before the party started for home it was voted that Mr. Pratt was a host in every sense of the word and that he had paid his debt with interest.

DYING STATEMENT

GENERAL BOBRIKOFF DESCRIBED CONDITIONS IN FINLAND.

ST. PETERSBURG, June 17.—What may be regarded as General Bobrikoff's dying declaration concerning the conditions in Finland, is contained in a statement made to M. Belaieff, a Russian literary man, who has just completed a tour of the country and who has a long talk with the late governor on Tuesday. Bobrikoff regarded the present situation very suspiciously, expressing dissatisfaction. The Finns, he said, thoroughly understood the state of affairs and were manifesting correct relations toward the Russian administration. He continued: "The trouble is all with the Swedes. Swedomania is still a very strong propaganda and is pushed in the most underhanded and disreputable fashion. In order to poison the people's minds, proclamations are showered from Sweden. We release what we can but they form a regular hydra, wherever one head is chopped off another grows. My sympathies are on the side of the Old Finns who form seven-tenths of the population. I believe in them. I selected them. I prefer them to the Swedes, hence the hostility of the latter. Helsingfors gives me no rest night or day. The city is a hot bed of dissension. It seems to hell automatically because of the hostility and rivalry between the parties. I repeat that I rely mostly on the old Finns. The young Finns and the Swedish party are much the same, the only differences being that the former are more cowardly than the latter. The socialist party, of which the young Finns are the heart and soul, is a cunning, time-serving organization. Only a small percentage proved insubmissive. The Swedish proclamations have little effect the conscripts themselves bringing them to us in bundles."

FRENCHMAN WON

Bennett Cup Goes Back to France

SAALSBURG, June 17.—France recaptured the James-Gordon Bennett cup today, her champion automobile driver, they having defeated the German, Jenatz, holder of the trophy. Thery's total time was 5 hours, 50 minutes and 3 seconds and Jenatzy's was 6 hours, one mine and twenty-one seconds. Jenatzy arrived at the winning post first but his actual running time was 11 minutes and 18 seconds longer than that of the Frenchman.

PROHIBITION CONVENTION.

BOSTON, June 17.—Delegates representing the prohibition party of the state assembled in Lorrimer hall, Tremont temple, today for the purpose of electing to candidates for presidential electors at large, one candidate for presidential elector from each of the 14 congressional districts and a candidate for governor and other state officers. The call for the convention which was read by Secretary W. D. Moon requested the delegates to select 35 delegates and 35 alternates to the national convention of the party to be held at Indianapolis, Ind., on June 29. The delegates were called to order by Chairman J. R. Lewis, Jr., of the state committee.

"Hand Made."

A PERFECT SMOKE MARKSMAN UNION MADE 5¢ CIGAR

"Union Made."

Big Bargain Sale

--AT--

COOPER'S

It will be a RECORD BREAKING Bargain Sale indeed! To tell the TRUTH we are not giving you the great bargains WILLINGLY. We are obliged to! Our bills are coming due and they must be paid, or there'll be TROUBLE. We have a great deal of goods to sell, and a great many bills coming due which must be paid, and we have only two short weeks before the Fourth in which to do it. Now if you wish to find out if we really are telling you the truth, and also what will interest you more, if we are really giving you GREAT BARGAINS, come and see, as seeing is believing. DON'T believe us. DON'T leave it to your neighbor to tell you of the GREAT BARGAINS we've got AT COOPER'S. DON'T miss the GREAT BARGAIN SALE AT COOPER'S. Follow the crowd. You'll never regret it. The prices are marked down so low and we are really giving such great bargains that it would take too much space to describe them. And you could hardly believe us, so you had better come and SEE. Then you will be the best judge. Come early to avoid the crowd. The Big Sale will begin at 8.30 a. m.

The Reliable **Cooper's Cloak and Suit Store**

Merrimack Street, Near Merrimack House

Our Motto—High Grade Goods at Low Prices

HARVARD MAN WON.

HARTFORD, Conn., June 17.—Beals Wright of Harvard won the finals in singles in the New England tennis championship tournament on the courts of the Hartford club today.

Women's high grade suits selling this week at $10.00—were $18.50, $20, $25—at the Merrimack—across from City hall.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

The people like our Clothes and our Methods, consequently we have this season enjoyed more business than ever before in the history of the house.

Double Green, Dark Blue, Red, White and Blue National Discount **Trading Stamps Saturday**

Here's the Whole Story:

Our business this season in spite of the cool, rainy weather, has been phenomenal, and naturally we find that our large stock embraces today many broken lines of Suits, resulting from our brisk spring selling.

These we have decided to close out AT ONCE if low prices will do it. You'll be amazed at what good clothes a few dollars will buy here today. Words are useless; you must come in person and see for yourself. Here are a few details:

135 Suits that were $8, $10 and $12 To Close, Today and Saturday **$4.95**

275 Suits that were $13.50, $15, $16.50 To Close Today and Saturday **$7.75**

169 Suits that were $18, $19 and $20, To Close, Today and Saturday **$9.75**

210 Suits that were $22, $25 and $28 To Close Today and Saturday **$14.75**

The Best Blue Serge Suit Stock in the State

The world-famed Oswego Blue Serge, Hockanum Blue Serge, Washington Mills Blue Serge, Lymanville Blue Serge, in undressed and hard-faced; made in single and double breasted — B. Kuppenheimer & Co.'s famous suits and New York's best makers' productions. Hundreds to choose from at - - - **$10, $12, $15, $18**

265 Boys' Two-Piece Double-Breasted Suits; sizes up to 16 years; that were $3.00, $3.50 and $4.00—to close at once at **$1.98**

200 dozen Men's Fine Negligee Shirts, in all up-to-the-minute styles. These Shirts are $1.00 values. Special today **69c**

560 White and Fancy Vests at 50c on the dollar. "Vests for the Smart Set" in all the newest effects. The best values ever offered. **95c, $1.23, $1.69, $1.95, $2.38**

The largest Underwear Stock in the city: Union Suits or two-piece silk weaves, Derby weaves, linen mesh, fancy and plain. **19c to $2**

LOWELL ONE-PRICE CLOTHING CO.

E. H. CHOQUETTE | 72-86 Merrimack St. | J. L. KNOWLTON

"Home of Good Clothes Without Fancy Prices"

A. G. POLLARD & CO.

WE GIVE DARK BLUE TRADING STAMPS

Continuation of Our Great Bargain Sale of 140,000 Yards

Fine Printed Dimities

The crowd which filled our basement departments yesterday indicates that the buying public appreciate a good bargain, stylish patterns, fast colors, and convenient lengths for **Dresses, Waists, Kimonas and Children's Dresses.**

Fine Madras Batiste worth 12 1-2c, Fine Bourette Dimity worth 10c, all at the unprecedented low price of only

3½c Per Yard

ANOTHER SPECIAL BARGAIN IN OUR BASEMENT SHOE DEPARTMENT

Our Annual Sale of Slightly Imperfect Ladies' Slippers Will Commence

- - THIS MORNING - -

NEARLY 3000 PAIRS DIRECT FROM THE MANUFACTURER AT ONLY

59c a Pair

Regular price from $1.00 to $3.00 a pair. Imperfections are slight and do not affect the wearing qualities.

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Merrimack, Palmer and Middle Streets

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SWORN CIRCULATION OF THE SUN

The sworn daily average circulation of The Lowell Sun for the year 1903, was **14,590** A gain of 1083 copies per day over the average for the year of 1902.

Sworn to by John H. Harrington, proprietor, Martin H. Reidy, business manager, and Alfred Pilotte, pressman of The Sun, before me, January 1, 1904. JOHN J. HOGAN, Notary Public.

14,900 The sworn daily average circulation for five months of 1904 was: **14,900**

☞This is a larger circulation than the combined circulation of all the other daily papers in Lowell.

☞An advertisement placed in The Sun is of more value to the advertiser than if it were inserted in all othe ther newspapers in Lowell, and the cost of inserting it in The Sun is about ONE THIRD the price charged by the other papers.

WANTS TO BE KING.

The bandit captor of Perdecaris now demands the cession of several provinces of Morocco and protection in his right to rule them by two other powers with the United States. Verily it is time to land the marines.

There are few offenses which are more far reaching in their evil effects than the subornation of perjury. The officials of the Boston Mutual Life Insurance company who were fined $500 each for making false returns, got barely their deserts. Six months or a year in jail would have a wholesome effect.

THE LATE EX-SENATOR O'SULLIVAN.

The death of our esteemed friend, Edward F. O'Sullivan of Lawrence, a former member of The Sun staff, a brilliant writer, and a man of great versatility, will bring sorrow to many hearts here in Lowell; for so genial, cordial and witty, so cheerful and so honorable was the deceased, so strong in friendship, so averse to cherishing ill will towards any human being that of him it may well be said:

"None knew him but to love him,
Nor named him but to praise."

WILL BE TRUE TO THE TRUSTS.

The selection of Philander S. Knox for senator to succeed Mr. Quay of Pennsylvania shows the character of his constituency. He has been the faithful friend of the trusts. He never made a move against them except when forced to do so and his record in this respect has commended him to the trust magnates of Pennsylvania, Frick, the steel magnate, Cassatt and Emeron.

As United States senator Knox may be expected to keep up his record as a tool of the trusts. Mr. Moody, who is to succeed him, is a man after Roosevelt's own heart but too much of a republican to disturb the trusts.

BOARD OF SETTLEMENT IN LYNN.

The shoe workers and manufacturers of Lynn are showing signs of returning reason. For a long time the slightest difference between the workmen and their employers was the signal for a strike. Now, however, a board of settlement has been formed consisting of three members from each side to consider differences arising from time to time between the manufacturers and their employes. They can thus consider the various points at issue before reaching the strike stage and before any bitter feeling has been engendered on either side. This plan is copied from the system adpoted in the Pennsylvania coal strike. There is no reason why it should not be successful.

GUBERNATORIAL STOCK FELL.

Practical Politics of Boston has the following comment in regard to the fall of gubernatorial stock:

"It is interesting to note that from the beginning of the session to the closing hours thereof the gubernatorial stock fell steadily and reached its lowest point when two-thirds of the members of the branches decided in favor of the bounty bill, notwithstanding his objections thereto. During the session the governor vetoed 15 bills. These were generally sustained by wide margins. The senate, however, came within four votes of passing over his veto the bill to incorporate the Massachusetts Casualty company. Comparatively speaking the house came nearer to success in an attempt to override the veto of the so-called overtime bill, which prohibited the employment of women and minors in textile establishments after 6 in the evening or before 6 in the morning. The veto of the bounty bill was received in practically the closing hour and the situation created was very similar to that of a year ago, when, in the last moment, Gov. Bates sent in his veto of the Wakefield trunk line sewer."

The fall in gubernatorial stock is what might be expected when the governor became so meddlesome towards the legislature, showing a desire to dominate everything.

WONDERFUL FEAT OF RAPID JOURNALISM.

The Sun furnishes the people of Lowell with one of the best exhibitions of rapid journalism ever given in the United States every day a ball game is played at Spalding park. The ball grounds are but twelve minutes' ride from Merrimack square and as soon as the game is over there is a rush for the cars which are waiting on the tracks ready to start. Invariably when the cars reach Merrimack square the people are met by newsboys selling the sporting edition of The Sun with a full account of the game in every detail, the full box score, the score by innings and in some instances pictures illustrating the features of the game, the whole making almost a page of matter descriptive of the game. Other newspapers cannot understand how it is done. There are very few in the country that could do it. No similar feat has ever been attempted even in Boston. It is a lesson in journalism that is attracting wide attention not only in Lowell but throughout the state. In other cities it takes hours to get out such an account of a ball game. The Sun is the only paper in Lowell, or it might be said in Massachusetts, capable of performing such a feat.

LODGE AS AN ARTFUL DODGER.

The chief feature of the approaching republican convention will be Senator Lodge's method of dodging the reciprocity issue. Already, Mr. Lodge has attained the reputation of the artful dodger on this as on various other questions. The great friend of the late President McKinley and the great protectionist now opposes the scheme for reciprocity which McKinley advocated in his last public utterance.

Another piece of evasion which the republicans will find necessary will be in regard to the trust issue. This will tax the ambidexterity even of so clever a manuipulator as Senator Lodge but it can be done by verbosity and circumlocution, by framing sentences which mean nothing or by statements only to be nullified by conditional phrases or by mystifying the readers by glittering generalities which in reality mean nothing. It would be just as honest to make a good platform and ignore it openly after election as to take the other method of gulling the public. Mark Hanna said platforms were not made to be followed and the admission proved him to be a more honest man than is Senator Lodge, or those who are now the exponents of republican policy upon public questions.

The republicans, however, can be relied upon to accomplish their object in a platform of equivocations that will serve but to mislead and mystify the voters upon the public issues of the hour, as they are adepts at the construction of such platforms.

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SUMMER OUTING SUIT

cool and good looking clothes—that are properly made up, that will hold their shape, and these suits that are made right cost no more than suits that are made wrong.

Outing Suits, coats and trousers. The coats smart cut with built up shoulders and mohair fronts. Trousers of the proper fullness at the thigh, with permanent turn-up or without, of light flannels, new effects in tropical weight unfinished worsteds, homespuns and loosely woven light cheviots, from Rogers, Peet & Co: and our own shop, for $18, $15, $12, $10, as low as **$5**

Men's Outing Trousers, made from light homespuns and light flannels, full through the thigh as these should be. **$2, $2.50, $3, up to $5**

$6.50 for Men's Summer Suits that have sold for $10 to $15

YOU who know this store, know that suits are never bought to sell here for six dollars and a half. This is a collection that embraces all of the small remainders of suits that were brought to sell and did sell for $10, $12 and $15.

It is a gathering of blue serge, fancy cheviot and fancy worsted suits that were excellent values at the prices first marked—but we have no place for little lots of three to six suits of a kind—so gather them all into one lot and mark them at one price. There are sizes 34 to 46, regulars, stouts and longs, of some style or other. Pick today from this collection of $10 to $15 suits for **$6.50**

$20 for Rogers-Peet's Fine Suits

Instead of $25, $28 and $30

The handsomest lot we have ever shown

OUR sales of Rogers-Peet's suits for twenty dollars have been remarkable; it is a price for which we sell hundreds of their suits every season. We believed that we had made ample provision of these suits to carry us to July 1st--but, here in the middle of June we find the assortment so broken, that to make our twenty dollar lots what we think they should be, we have reduced prices on several lots of Rogers-Peet's most expensive suits.

It is a rare opportunity you have, to pick from the choicest styles of Rogers-Peet's sack and walking coats that sold for $25, $28 and $30, that we've marked today **$20**

Bargains in the Boys' Department

Boys' $5.00 and $6.00 Three Piece Suits for $3.50

Sixty splendid suits, the broken lots that sold for five and six dollars.

Neat dark patterns in cassimeres and cheviots, single breast jacket, vest and short trousers, all wool every one of them. Nicely cut and made in first rate shape. These suits to fit boys 10 to 16 years—all marked from $5 and $6 to only **$3.50**

Bovs' $3.00 Suits $1.50

Ninety suits to fit boys from 8 years to 15—of strictly all wool blue cheviot. These are brand new suits that we have just bought for half what they are worth. Latest cut, long roll double breast jacket with short trousers—as nice fitting suits as were ever put on to a boy. Well tailored and new—instead of three dollars— **$1.50**

WASH SUITS AT HALF PRICE

We bought a good big lot of sample wash suits from an excellent maker a few weeks ago—bought them at a figure that enables us to sell them for nearly half what they ought to bring—materials are Galateas, crashes and woven fabrics. Some of them got a little tumbled in handling as samples, but they're all practically in good shape. We offer these wash sailor suits today as below:

Wash Suits, regular price 75c, for 35c.
Wash Suits, regular price $1.00 for 50c.
Wash Suits, regular price $2.00 for $1.00
Wash Suits, regular price $3.00 for $1.50

JOINT EXERCISES

At the Howe School in Billerica

ANNUAL GRADUATION OF THIS YEAR'S CLASS

And Eighth Reunion of School Association

The annual graduation of the Howe school at Billerica and the eighth annual reunion of the Howe school association was held yesterday afternoon at the town hall and from every viewpoint it was one of the most successful affairs held by the association since the introduction of the joint exercises. It was the largest gathering of past members of the school ever seen in the hall and the attendance of relatives and friends of the graduating class was larger this year than ever before. The large attendance seemed to add energy to the commencement exercises which were very interesting and entertaining.

The graduation class numbered ten and the graduates were at their best. Four of them completed four year courses and the remaining six were three year scholars. The able manner in which the graduates acquitted themselves was productive of a great many flattering comments that were aimed at the principal and his assistants.

The annual dinner and business meeting of the association took place during the latter part of the forenoon and the closing feature, the annual ball, was held in the evening and the greatness of the pleasure it afforded was in keeping with the unusual interest manifested in every item of the day's proceedings.

The town hall was beautifully decorated for the occasion and the stage fairly groaned under its load of potted plants, flowers and blossoms. The platform was occupied by the graduation class and the teachers. The exercises opened at 2.30 with the strains of sweet music by Hibbard's orchestra.

Divine blessing was invoked by Rev. Edgar S. Wiers. A brilliant essay which bespoke more than ordinary ability of its author, with "Theodore Roosevelt" as its theme, was then delivered in admirable manner by Wilbur Irving Bull, the class vice-president. The youthful speaker did himself, his class and his teachers credit in this essay.

Miss Rena E. Parker, the class secretary, then read an interesting paper on the history of the outgoing class since its advent to the school. She also recited the class prophecy, which was very clever.

The class oration, a sketch of the great oil trust, with a vividly drawn picture of the business principles of its president, John D. Rockefeller, entitled "The Rise of the Standard Oil Company," was then delivered by Ralph Eric Manning, the class treasurer.

The valedictory, clever in construction and delivery, by Miss Doris Kohlrausch, was next. She took for her theme the class motto, "Graviora Remanent," which translated means "Things More Serious Remain," and emphasizes the fact that the future held more serious things in store for them. Miss Kohlrausch was well received.

The diplomas were then conferred by Rev. Edgar S. Wiers. In presenting the diplomas to the graduating class, Mr. Wiers said: "The old town has given you all it has, in an educational point of view. All its educational privileges have been extended to you. It has done its best by you. You are the children of the 250th year of the town and all its honor and pride in the years to come rests with you. Do it justice."

Diplomas were then presented to the following:

Four Years' Course—Doris Kohlrausch, Wilbur Irving Bull, Rena E. Parker, Ralph Eric Manning.

Three Years' Course—George Anthony Campbell, Florence Abby Colby, Flora Belle Crosby, Hilda Holman, Thurza May McLean, Evangeline Elsie Thaxter.

J. NELSON PARKER.

J. Nelson Parker, for the trustees of the school, spoke with reference to the standing of the schools. He said that when Dr. Howe endowed the school it was his desire that it would serve as a stepping-stone to a higher education. He was glad to state that not less than 50 per cent. of the graduates were going to a higher educational institution.

He said the fifty years since the first class went out of the school have wrought a change in the world's knowledge. To fit a pupil for college today means more than it did a half century ago. The trustees are gratified because of the good showing that is being made.

Mr. Parker then announced that the trustees had decided to add another teacher to the corps of instructors and thus enable the classes to receive more attention from the teachers. He announced, too, that changes would be made in the school building during the summer and arrangements would be made for a new room.

Mr. Parker then introduced Rev. Alexander McKenzie, D. D., of Cambridge, who delivered the address to the graduates.

DR. McKENZIE.

Dr. McKenzie congratulated the trustees of the school on the thriving condition in which its fifty-first year found it and stated that he was always pleased to talk to the young people. He spoke of the educational advantages enjoyed by the young men and women of today and put forth some excellent advice for the young minds to ponder over. He laid especial stress on the fact that one must plan for the future in order to achieve ultimate success in life. The present should be well looked to but deference should go to the future at all times.

"We want to avail ourselves of the advantages of what men have done," he said. "We must make use of what has been wrought out by our predecessors. Use your public library. Visit it frequently, secure its books and get knowledge they contain. But understand that no matter how extensive the list of volumes in the public library, and no matter how much you patronize it, you would do better to secure a few books of your own. Read them through with care, and you'll see things you want to remember or refer to on some occasion. Mark your books. Yes, deface the margin down the page. It's simply illustrating them. Get a new book as often as you can, conveniently or otherwise. If it's a question of a new coat or a new book, get the book.

"If your only ambition in life is to accumulate money, I hope you'll have a hard time of it. You ought to hate yourselves if that is your ambition. Live to allow other people to live and then I shall wish that you may have a grand place.

"It doesn't make any difference what you are today or what you may be tomorrow; what will you be when you're seventy? That's what you should think of. Get into something where there is opportunity for expansion. I don't care whether you sell corn-balls or Standard Oil, there are possibilities in both, so get into one or the other.

"I never saw or heard of a man failing to get ahead who had anything in him. Be considerate to others. Deal with persons in such manner that they'll want to deal with you on another occasion. Have courage. I believe fear has cheated more men out of position and fortune than rash acts. More of them lose fortunes through fear than through recklessness.

"There would be no pleasure in life without experiencing an occasional, or continual risk. You young men and women have magnificent opportunities to do something that has never been accomplished. It does seem that everything possible has been done. Here's a suggestion. Form a republic. Take all the nations of the earth and teach the people to talk your tongue. Take their flags, tear them up and weave the fragments into the Star Spangled Banner. It's a great thing, and it never has been done. Go out; work, and see what's in you."

The exercises closed with a selection by the orchestra.

RECEPTION BY CLASS.

Following the graduation exercises the graduating class held a reception in the hall and this continued until six o'clock. At that hour the annual dinner to the members of the Howe School Association and to the graduating class was given in the banquet hall on the first floor and 125 persons gathered around the festive board.

After the menu was discussed President Kohlrausch called to order at 7.25, and called upon Treasurer Natt. H. Hutchins for his annual report. Mr. Hutchins submitted a brief report which told of the thriving condition of the association.

The election of officers was next in order. On the first ballot, by acclamation, Charles H. Kohlrausch, Jr., who served as president last year, was re-elected.

Practically all of the former officers were also re-elected, with the exception that Mr. Warren L. Floyd was chosen a vice president, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Mr. Hugh Cochrane. The vice presidents now are: J. Frank Casey, Otis S. Brown, Warren L. Floyd, T. Frank Lyons was re-elected secretary, and Natt H. Hutchins treasurer; and the executive committee for the ensuing year is as follows:

Herbert A. King, Miss Grace L. Knowles, Miss Mary E. F. Shea, Mrs. S. A. Bull, Miss Mary L. Morey, Joseph Jaquith, Harry G. Sheldon, Neil E. Mahoney, Homer H. Colby, Miss Olive H. Norcross, John A. Richardson, Ralph E. Manning.

The death of the first vice president, Mr. Hugh Cochrane, was announced by President Kohlrausch, and the members of the association were requested to stand, as a tribute of respect to him, while the cornetist played a solemn requiem.

Following the business meeting, which closed with the elections, the post prandial exercises were opened by Mr. Kohlrausch. Mr. Kohlrausch spoke in a reminiscent strain of his school days away back in '63, and cited many instances in his school career which amused the gathering.

The other speakers were J. Frank Casey, class of '57; Warren L. Floyd, class of '53; George Greenwood, '04; Fred Casey, '59; Eugene C. Vining of the Howe school; E. C. Davis, a former principal; J. Nelson Parker and Rev. Edgar S. Wiers. The chairman read a letter of regret from Rev. Fr. Frank E. Rogers of the class of '89, who could not attend.

Commencing at 10 o'clock and continuing until midnight dancing was enjoyed and about 75 couples participated.

At the close of the function special cars left for Bedford, Lexington, Arlington, Wilmington, East Billerica, North Billerica and this city.

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For Infants and Children.
The Kind You Have Always Bought
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher

Have you guessed on the world's fair contest at the Merrimack? It costs nothing to guess and you may win $25.

INJURIES PROVED FATAL.

USINGEN, Prussia, June 17.—Baron Leiterberger, the Austrian automobilist, who was reported to be suffering from concussion of the brain as the result of an accident in one of yesterday's runs, preliminary to the race for the James Gordon Bennett cup, died this morning. His car skidded at a corner and was overturned into a ditch.

Voile, cheviot and mohair dress skirts in black and blue; were $5.00 to $7.50, selling at $3.85, Merrimack Clothing Co. —Women's Dept.

For your wedding hack, call up O'Donnell's.

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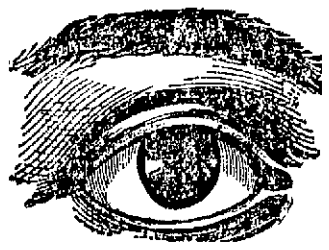

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50 Stamps with 1 pound of 60c Tea
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NOTICE

Having contracted with the S. & H. Green Stamp Co. we will in the future give Green Stamps and Red, White and Blue 2 for 1 for ten days, commencing today, June 10, 4 p. m.

125 with 1 lb. Best Baking Powder.
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10 with 1 bottle Bluing at 10c.
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10 with 1 can Peas at 12c.
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Don't forget we give 2 for 1 on all sales of $1.00 or over for ten days, and our prices the lowest and goods the best that money can buy. Remember when you get Red, White and Blue Stamps and the S. & H. Green Stamps you get a gold mine for the asking. Mail or telephone orders attended to.

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This is Boys' Week at the Merrimack

Big Selling of BOYS' Wash Suits

Is your boy about to graduate, or be confirmed? Have you decided where that suit is to be bought? Do you know that the Merrimack carries the best stock of good clothes for boys in town?

It's a strong assertion, but we are prepared to prove it. We want every mother in Lowell with boys to clothe to look into it for herself.

We handle boys' clothes of reliable make and quality only—we sell them at a close profit margin—we are cultivating the good will of the mothers—we recognize her influence in the family, and we appeal to her with values, strong merchandise values, that, when compared with competitors' showing, results in business for this store.

We want every mother in Lowell to become acquainted with our boys' department—it's in the rear of the new women's department—just off the main store, and is a comfortable place to shop in.

You can come here today and tomorrow expecting unusual values in boys' clothes—you won't be disappointed.

Read the items mentioned today, and, by the way, let the boy guess on the World's Fair Contest. He may win that $25 prize.

BOYS' Black Suits

For Graduations, Confirmations, etc.

At $2.00

Boys' Two-Piece Suits of Black Worsted Cheviot—all pure wool and worsted and well made—the pants have taped seams and are half lined—the usual price is $3.00. These were secured last week at a closing price and are offered a dollar less than regular.

At $3.00

Boys' Two-Piece Black Clay Suits—all pure worsted—the new shape double breasted jacket and splendidly made. You'll find many stores asking $4.00 for this grade.

At same price, a small lot of blue and dark mixed serge, three-piece suits, marked from $5.00, $6.00 and $7.50.

At $5.00

Boys' Three-Piece Suits of Black Clay or Unfinished Worsted—also Black and Blue Unfinished Worsteds of Shuman make, marked from $8.00.

At $7.50

Boys' Three-Piece Suits of Black and Blue Unfinished Worsted, including many that sold at $10.00.

White Shield Bows, 10 Cents
White Silk Windsor Ties, 15c, 25c
White Gloves, 10 Cents
Black Hose, 12 1-2c, 25c

HAVE YOU GUESSED ON THE World's Fair CONTEST?

A prize of $25.00 will be given to the person guessing nearest the exact number of votes cast by the winner of Trip No. 1.

Everybody is welcome to guess—no purchase necessary.

Here's the way it looks today:—

TRIP NO. 1.

Charles Harrington, Mathew Temperance Institute	29,998
Peter A. Clune, Knights of Columbus and Industry Council, R. A.	16,475
"Connie" Cronin, C. Y. M. L., and Celtics	16,194
Homer L. P. Turcotte, Rochambeau Council, R. A., C. M. A. C.	4,053
A. E. Rountree, Industry Council, R. A., Court Middlesex, F. of A., Y. M. C. L.	2,228
John Quincy Adams, Holy Name, St. Patrick's	85

TRIP NO. 2.

Margaret Roark	6,237
Leda Melhot	5,083
Mabel Connors	40

The contest ends July 30—the guessing closes one week earlier.

Some mothers who have come to this store for the first time this season have been surprised at our large showing of Wash Suits for boys. They didn't think such a stock was carried in Lowell.

In addition to the usual style of Wash Suits, you'll find here dainty, exclusive effects and good choosing such as you'll not find in any other Lowell store.

For the little fellow the Russian Blouse Suit has a big showing—white duck, pique, fancy Madras, Galateas and Crashes, daintily trimmed, with sailor, cadet or Buster Brown collar.

For the older boys the Sailor Suit is shown in over thirty styles. These are made with sailor, cadet or eton collars; the latter with blouse trousers. The materials are about the same as in the Russian.

Russian Suits are priced at

75c, $1, $1.50, $2, $2.50, $3.00

Sailor Suits,

50c, 75c, $1, $1.50, $2, $2.50, $3

Boys' Waists

The biggest showing in town of the celebrated K. & E. Waists; the best fitting waist made.

The Shirt Blouse, to wear with white collar, is the leading style. These are shown in Percales and Madras Cloth; laundered and unlaundered,

50c, 75c, $1

The same style with attached collars.

A pretty style for little fellows, 3 to 8 years, has an eton collar; this comes in several styles of cloth and is priced at

$1.50

The cadet collar style is shown largely in plain white, fancy Madras, Percales and Linen. Prices

50c, 75c, $1, $1.50

A lot of fine Madras and Percale Waists, with sailor collars, selling at $1.00, are marked to

50c

3 to 8 years.

A lot of Fine Striped Madras Waists, with small collar, worth 50c, is selling at

25c

10 to 15 years.

Wash Pants, in white duck, crash and striped fabrics,

25c, 50c

The Merrimack CLOTHING COMPANY
Across from City Hall

SUPERIOR COURT

James Calnin Violated the Liquor Law

AND WAS ORDERED TO PAY FINE OF $100

John B. Clancy Had His Case Continued

In the superior criminal court at East Cambridge, yesterday before Judge Lawton, James Calnin was fined $100 for violation of the liquor law. This fine is the same as was imposed by Judge Hadley in the police court. The seizure at Mr. Calnin's place was made shortly after the no-license regime and was by far the largest seizure of the year. It will be remembered that a few days prior to the first of May the officers went to Mr. Calnin's place of business in Lakeview avenue and sealed up whatever liquors he had on hand. A few weeks later the raid was made and the police found that some of the liquors were missing and what was left was removed to the police station and a store house in Dutton street.

The defense offered by the defendant was that he did not know that liquors sealed by the police were being disturbed. John J. Harvey appeared for Mr. Calnin.

CONTINUED TO SEPTEMBER.

The case of John B. Clancy, charged with the violation of the liquor laws, was continued to the September term of the superior court. The police visited Mr. Clancy's home during the latter part of the no-license year and seized 39 cases of lager beer and ale. In police court he was found guilty. He was fined $200 and sentenced to the common jail for two months.

PLEADED NOLO CONTENDERE.

Michael Dalton through counsel J. J. O'Connor, pleaded nolo contendere to a complaint charging him with violation of the liquor law and his case was placed on file upon the filing of affidavits.

Silk Shirt Waist Suits at $8.75, $10.98, $13.50 and $15.00. Special values at Chris. Holmes' Specialty Store, 124-126 Merrimack street.

Tobacco brown, champagne, gun metal gray—all the new neckwear shades in keiser baratheа—the best wearing neckwear silk, 50c, at the Merrimack.

THE BIG BARGAIN STORE

C. K. FISK

75 Merrimack St. Lowell, Mass.

We will pledge our honor that there is not a big store in Lowell or Boston that sells at such low prices as we do. How do we do it? Simply this: Our expenses are small, we buy in large quantities for spot cash, so as to get the best discount possible. Our goods are of the best quality. We carry the "Queen" brand Muslin Underwear, best in the market; kid and fabric gloves in all of the new shades. Latest in Ladies' Neckwear. Hosiery in great variety.

Belts and Bags—latest out.

Bargains in Ribbons—Taffeta, all of the best shades, No. 5 and 9, 15c Yard; 22 and 40, 10c Yard.

Wide Lace Collars at very low prices.

We have the self-adjusting Skirt Supporter and Waist Extender. It gives a beautiful shapely and graceful figure; also Victory Pinett Girdle Former.

This is a money saving store. It is open for you.

C. K. FISK

75 Merrimack St.

NEW YORK CLOAK AND SUIT CO.

SHIRT WAIST SUITS

Special Bargains for Saturday and Monday

See our Percales and Lawns at $1.98

A fine quality Fancy Figured Percale, lace insertion, worth $3.00 . . . . . Our price $1.98

Sateens at $2.98 and $3.98

In polka dots, piped with white, excellent style, at $2.98

Pure Linen Suits in cape effect, piped with blue, value $6.50, ... Our price $3.98

P. S. All graduation dresses greatly reduced.

SILK WAIST SUITS

See the special value in plain colors and stripes, $11.98

WAISTS Thousands to Choose From **WAISTS**

See the Ginghams at 38c, worth 75c.
See the Lawns at 49c, worth 98c.
See the Lawns in Bertha Effects. Plain and Insertion at 98c, worth $1.49.
Others $1.98, $2.98, $3.98 and up.

All High Grade Waists Marked Down

Remember We Are Headquarters for Brilliantines, Pique and Linen Skirts and Suits—Lowest Prices.

$2.98 Children's Coats $2.98

Any Coat in our store. Some were $7.98. Pongee, Peau de Soie and plain cloths, your choice at $2.98.

New York Cloak and Suit Co. 12 JOHN STREET.

MONSTER PICNIC

6000 Persons at Willow Dale Yesterday

Fully 6000 persons attended the picnic of Highland Council, R. A., at Willow Dale yesterday and a delightful time was enjoyed.

One of the big features of the day was the ball game won by the All Stars, 6 to 2. The teams were as follows:

All Stars—Hervey, Robitaille, Maynard, Foss, W. Riley, Donahue, Williams, Whitney.

Has Beens—Douglas, Zimmer, Christian, Hutchins, Greig, Langevin, Cooney, M. Ileley, J. Rieley.

The various sporting events were as follows:

100 yards dash, 1st prize M. F. Hynne; 2d, Al. Cooney.

Three legged race, Freeman Hallett, and Tom Farrell; second prize, Charles Donahoe and J. Rieley.

Running broad jump, 1st J. McCarthy; 2d, Freeman Hallett; 3d James Proctas.

Men's boat race 1st, H. L. Woodman; 2d, William Zimmer.

Ladies' boat race, 1st Miss Minnie Edwards, 2nd, Mrs. Robitaille.

Ladies' 50 yard sprint, 1st. Miss Mary Quirbach; 2d Mabel Rieley.

Boys' 100 yards dash, 1st William Broadbent; 2d, Russell, Gaudette.

Useful prizes were awarded the winners.

Considerable difficulty was experienced in accommodating such an enormous crowd, but everything went off smoothly much to the credit of the managers.

The committee on sports was: James V. Greig and George Grady.

Those in charge of the outing were: Chairman, George E. Hutchins, E. E. Maynard, and W. Zimmer.

BY "REST CURE"

MARSHALL FIELD, JR., SAVED FROM DEATH.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., June 17.—Marshall Field, Jr., son of Chicago's wealthiest citizen, has been saved from death after a month's struggle by the "rest cure" treatment of Dr. S. Weir Mitchell of this city. Heir to a fortune estimated at over $100,000,000, young Mr. Field became seriously ill in Chicago this spring. The best physicians of that city studied his case, which was one of nervous breakdown, but held out little hope of permanent recovery. He was advised to place himself under Dr. Mitchell, and did so. The exact nature of his complaint is not made known.

Special shirt waist sale at the Merrimack Clothing Co. $1.50 waists selling at $1.00—Women's Dept.

TAKE HIS CHOICE

METCALF CAN PICK HIS CABINET JOB.

WASHINGTON, June 17.—An intimation received here last night from Oakland, Ca., the home of Representative Victor H. Metcalf, states that he has been offered his choice of the post of secretary of the navy and secretary of commerce and labor. This cannot be verified here, but is deemed probable, although it is seldom that a man is given his choice of two portfolios.

Women's fancy grey hosiery, regular 50-cent values, at 3 pairs for $1.00, Merrimack Clothing Co.

CECIL ADAMS

WILL APPEAR IN ROLE OF BARE-BACK RIDER.

The success of the country circus, to be held at the Fair Grounds on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday nights of next week, in aid of the country week fund, is already assured.

There has been a most gratifying advance sale of tickets at Mr. Ellingwood's store, and inquiries have been received from three of the suburban towns.

More "talent" was engaged for the performance yesterday. Cecil L. Adams, the former Adonis of the city council, and more recently of the legislature, will appear in a daring bareback act. He will ride an untamed steed. A real bareback rider has also been secured in New York, and he will bring a trained horse with him.

Edmund B. Conant will be the ringmaster. He knows all about horses, and is one of the crack whips of the Vesper-Country club.

Joseph Seabury, who made such a hit in the last Colonial hall play, is to appear in the unique character of the "Happy Hooligan." It is expected that this act alone will attract Boston people to the performance.

The "cast" will meet in Colonial hall tonight, and all of the talent is expected to be present.

Four waterproof tents will be used for the performance, and a big side show is being organized.

Japanese silk shirt waists, tailored effects, worth $2.50, for $1.98, at the Merrimack—Women's Dept.

EXTREME PENALTY

CHARLES CANNON GETS FIFTEEN YEARS.

NEW YORK, June 17.—Charles K. Cannon, supreme court commissioner of Hoboken, who was found guilty of charges made by young girls, was sentenced yesterday in the county court of Jersey City to 15 years in state prison and to pay a fine of $1000, the extreme penalty. Judge Blair said:

"It is a painful duty to sentence you on a charge of this nature, and from your education, environment and means it is incomprehensible to me why you should be guilty of such an offence. You must be either of unsound mind, morally depraved, or else you are a scoundrel."

Cannon's son stood by his side while sentence was being pronounced. Pending the filing of a writ of error, Cannon was released on his old bail of $10,000.

HARRISON WILL FIGHT.

CHICAGO, June 17.—Mayor Charles H. Harrison and his political managers yesterday decided to contest before the democratic national committee five of the Chicago districts. The mayor has legal advice to the effect that in the event of the ten delegates, including the mayor himself being seated as delegates, they will not be bound by the Hearst instructions adopted by the democratic state convention at Springfield, Ills.

William Tait of Gorham st. has gone to New York for a two weeks' vacation.

SULTAN YIELDS

Bandit Fraissouli Gets a Governorship

TANGIER, Morocco, June 17.—Fraissouli's new demand is the governorship of four large tribes, which extend from the gates of Tangier nearly to Larache and Alcazar, covering some 500 square miles. The Moorish government concedes this demand, which means that European ministers will be brought into direct diplomatic communication with Fraissouli in all cases which concern the districts in question.

Fraissouli's post as governor will mean, if the usual etiquette is followed, amicable exchanges of visits with the ministers as soon as he takes up his appointment. This demand is not publicly known, but will cause consternation in Tangier and the districts in question, which always have been against Fraissouli, and where, by this arrangement, he will be free to carry out his vindictive intentions against his supposed enemies to his heart's content, without the possibility of any restraint. It is not certain he will not make further demands.

The Moorish government gives another example of its sublime incapacity. Having disbanded one army at Fraissouli's demand, it has now sent here another force of 600 men and some cavalry. This act entirely cancels the disbanding of the troops and will appear to Fraissouli as treachery and scarcely can fail to delay the release of the prisoners. The Moorish governments' intention to send these troops was unknown to the native officials and the British and American ministers, and causes apprehension and dismay. The force is said to be intended to guard European interests here, but the men are evil looking, filthy specimens of the worst type of Moorish soldiers, whose reputation during the time they have been camping uselessly at Casa Blanca has been of the worst.

These troops, who never have been in contact with Europeans, or under any discipline, form as great a danger as the depredations of the tribesmen, if not greater. The Moorish government's action doubtless has been taken with the idea of rendering unnecessary the landing of European or American troops, but is likely to have exactly the opposite effect. The least panic in town would set the soldiers to looting.

The most important point, however, for the moment, is the effect this introduction of troops will have upon Fraissouli, and I regret to say I now consider the position of the captives very precarious.

The British and American authorities strongly protested to Mohammed El Torres, the representative of the sultan. The commander of the troops brings letters announcing that more soldiers will probably arrive here soon.

New styles in the Dolly Varden silk four-in-hands, 25c, at the Merrimack.

M. J. QUINN

Electrical contractor, no job too small, none too large for us. All work done in a first class manner and all orders promptly attended to. Give us a trial order. 22 Middle st. Telephone 855-4.

MRS. FLEMING HURT

TRAMPLED UPON BY CROWD RUSHING FOR A CAR.

Mrs. Bridget Flemming, wife of Councilman James Flemming, met with an accident in Merrimack square last night, sustained a fracture of the left arm. Mrs. Flemming had just alighted from a car from the Navy Yard and was making her way towards the sidewalk when shes was caught in a crowd which was rushing for the car to Lakeview and she was thrown to the ground and trampled upon.

Several people who saw her fall managed to clear the crowd away and Mrs. Flemming was picked up and complained of a pain in her left arm and side and was removed to St. John's hospital in the ambulance, where upon examination it was found that she was suffering from a fracture of the arm. Mrs. Flemming resides at 2 Bay state court.

Women's black lawn waists, hemstitched, tucked fronts; were $1.50, now $1.00, at the Merrimack.

CHILDREN'S ENTERTAINMENT.

A highly amusing children's entertainment was held at the Mt. Vernon Free Baptist church last evening. The members of the primary Sunday school class, assisted by Miss Pierce's class, furnished the entertainment, the principal feature of which was a doll drill. The little children participating were Greta Cady, Dolly Rowland, who were the leaders; Blanche Steindorf, Alice Erskine, Nettie Gillespie, Elsie Rowland, Vera Morton and Gertrude Eaton. The remainder of the program consisted of piano solos, readings and songs, and also of choruses by the class, and those taking part were little Misses Marion Clark, Marion Mochrie, Elsie Rowland, Blanche Sennett, Dolly Rowland Lillian Abbott, Margery Wrigley, Greta Cady and Nettie Gillespie and Master Paige Remick.

Ice cream and cake were served at the end of the entertainment, Misses Etta B. Pierce and Emily Wrigley having charge of the sweet tooth end of the program, which did not prove the least enjoyable to the little folk.

Fancy hose in new gray effects, some with white feet, at 17c a pair, regularly 25c, at the Merrimack.

CLUB SOCIAL ELECTED OFFICERS.

The Club Social de Pawtucketville held its semi-annual election of officers last evening, and there was but one change in the list, that being in the office of assistant secretary. Those were as follows: President, Rodrigue Deschenneaux; vice president, Joseph Daviau; secretary, Leopold C. Gelinas; assistant secretary, Paul T. Charbonneau; treasurer, Frederic Theriault; assistant treasurer, Euclide Cinq-Mars; sergeant-at-arms, Joseph Boivin. The installation of these officers will be held at the coming regular meeting, Thursday next.

The subject of the annual club picnic was also discussed at the assembly the following committee being appointed to organize the affair: Emile Gelinas, president; L. N. Milot, secretary, Frederic Theriault, treasurer; W. W. Thibodeau, Joseph Daviau, Omer Deschenneaux, Charles Chandonnet, Henri Gelinas, Albert Payette and Rodrigue Deschenneaux, ex-officio.

Miss May Maguire of Boston is the guest of the Misses Lavery of Pine street.

Straw hats 50c to $3—plenty of the much wanted split straws—at the Merrimack Clothing Co.

SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

The regular meeting of Elgin lodge, No. 6, New England Order of Protection, was held last night at Highland Hall and received a grand visit from District Deputy Grand Warden Frances L. Colson of Salem. She was accompanied by the following: D. D. G. G., Carrie E. Sargent of Haverhill; D. G. W., W. E. Holt of Lowell; D. G. W., F. E. Smith of Billerica and D. G. W. G. E. Sellers of Lawrence, Mass.

After the transaction of routine business and an address by the District Deputy Grand Warden Colson, a banquet was served and a social hour enjoyed. Besides the members of Elgin lodge there were representatives present from Talbot lodge of Billerica, and Echo and Neptune lodge of this city.

The committee in charge of the evening's arrangements was composed of the following named: Carrie E. Buxton, chairman, Mrs. W. G. Bowen, Miss Mabel Chapman and W. E. Holt.

Concord lodge, No. 6 ,Fraternal Helpers, met in regular session last night at Post 165, G. A. R., hall. Several applications for membership were received and there was a large attendance of members. At the close of the business meeting a fine musical and literary program was carried out.

The "L. P. L." orchestra composed of Mrs. Sanford Leary, pianist; Messrs. Frank Perry, violin; Jeff Leighton, Lester Foster clarionette; Master Joe M. Leary, cornet, rendered several selections and although it was their first public appearance they showed much ability and will be heard from again. Lorenzo Gace gave one or two recitations in his usual good manner. Mr. Millage Feindel gave several selections on the phonograph.

One of the most notable numbers was a song by Mrs. W. S. Davis which was finely rendered. She was accompanied by Mrs. Sanford Leary. Mr. Bert Tice gave a funny selection in costume which was loudly applauded.

The committee also served ice cream and cake. The affair was in charge of Mrs. Will G. Farmer, and Mrs. Clara Leary.

The regular meeting of Eirene lodge, I. O. G. T., was held last night and was largely attended. Two candidates were initiated and after the regular meeting a very enjoyable entertainment was given. Remarks were made by different members of the order and a fine musical program was carried out.

Theodore E. Parker formerly superintendent of the local telephone exchange, was in town Monday.

Lincoln R. Welch, a Carney medal scholar of the Lowell high school, Mrs. Welch, and her mother, Mrs. Joyce, were

New Lawn White Waists at 98c, $1.25 and $1.49 at Chris. Hlmes', 124-126 Merrimack street.

NEW OFFICERS CHOSEN.

The Ladies' Aid society of St. Paul's church met at the home of Mrs. S. T. Brown Tuesday afternoon and the following officers were elected: President, Mrs. S. T. Brown; vice presidents, Mrs. Albert Coburn, Mrs. W. D. Brown, Mrs. J. H. Martin and Mrs. J. P. Ritchie; treasurer, Mrs. Fred Morrison; secretary, Mrs. George Clark; managers, Mrs. James Ashworth, Mrs. Charles Hard, Mrs. Edwin Cleworth, Mrs. Charles Naylor, Mrs. Roberts, Mrs. Merton Glidden, Mrs. George Olmstead and Mrs. Miles Snow; collector, Miss Martha Bradley; entertainment committee, Mesdames Cleworth, Martin and Hard.

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Refrigerators

Made of thoroughly seasoned ash wood, with heavy metal linings and galvanized iron shelves, leaving no wood exposed on the inside of the refrigerator. The best selling sizes, 28 inch, 30 inch and 36 inch wide, sell for $10.00, $13.00 and $15.00 Each. A moderately priced refrigerator of good construction.

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Electric Gold and Silver Dressing

A perfect cleansing solution for gold, silver or plated ware, manufactured for George H. Wood. There is no better polish on the market. We are making a special run on this Polish for a few days. The regular price is 25 cents a bottle. Special price.....13c, or 2 Bottles for 25 Cents

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Lowest Prices | 157 MIDDLESEX STREET | Best Terms

Fourth of July and Summer Vacation Suits

Take a walk up or down Middlesex street, stop at No. 1577, look in our window and you will not want to go any further, for you will see materials, designs and cuts at prices that will surprise you. Come in, see the complete range, and we know you will agree with us that we are certainly Lowell's credit outfitters, and will wonder at our prices and how we can do it. The secret is, we know the clothing business thoroughly, and do our own buying. The young men of Lowell are fast finding that out; results, they are wearing nobbier and better fitting clothes at less money this season than they have in the past.

Outing Suits

All the leading materials and designs, $5.95, $6.95, $7.95, $9, $12, $13.

Fancy Suits, Scotch Cheviots, Cassimeres, Fancy Worsteds, Oriental Stripes and Homespuns, $11.95, $13, $14, $15, $17.

Black Clay and Unfinished Worsteds, $9, $11, $15, $17, $23.

Blue Oswego Serges, single or double breasted, $9.93, $13, $15.

Trousers

A large and complete range of nobby patterns, $1.50, $2, $2.25, $2.75, $3, $3.50, $4, $4.50, $5.

White and Fancy Vests, finest range of patterns in the city, $1.50, $2, $2.25, $2.75, $2.85, $3.25, $4.15

Young Men's Suits, college cut, single and double breasted in Black Thibets, Vicunas, Unfinished Worsteds and Scotch Cheviots, cut, prices and designs just what you want to be well dressed.

Boys' and Children's Department. Mothers should spend a half hour looking over our very large range of up-to-date styles for the little fellows. It will be money in your pockets to do so.

Men's and Boys' Hats and Caps. Straws—a complete line of all the leading blocks and braids, 25c, 50c, 75c, $1, $1.25, $1.50. Furnishing Department. Every line up-to-date. Neglige Shirts 50c, 75c, $1, $1.25. Kid Gloves, Neckwear, Underwear, Etc. Belts for Outing Suits 25 and 50c.

NOYES & DEWAR CO.

157 MIDDLESEX STREET
Clothiers, Furnishers and Hatters on Credit
SIGN of THE RED STAR

DOUBLE BLUE TRADING STAMPS

WOMAN ATTACKED

Two Men Tied Her to a Bed

MALDEN, June 17.—Strapped to an iron bedstead by towels, with a revolver pointed at her head and her life threatened, is the experience claimed by Mrs. Lena Burnett, aged 28, residing at the corner of Orchard and Lebanon streets, yesterday afternoon, although neighbors saw nothing of her alleged assailants. The victim is suffering somewhat from her experience and the police are looking for the assailants.

Mrs. Burnett states that about 3.30 yesterday afternoon two men came to her front door and rang the bell. She answered the door and upon opening it the men forced an entrance she running upstairs to an attic room, closely followed by them. When she entered the room the men caught her and after a struggle tied her to the bedstead with towels, pointed a revolver at her head and told her to not to make any noise or they would kill her.

While one of the men stood by her with a revolver the other, she says, went downstairs, ransacked the bureaus and sideboards, and after 10 minutes called to the man upstairs to come along. He left after threatening her life if she made an outcry for half an hour.

Fifteen minutes after the men left she released herself and went to the front door and seeing Henry Paul of Boston passing the house, told him of the assault. She thought the men were in the house at the time, but after Paul made a thorough search he was unable to locate them.

The Malden officers were notified and Sergt. Powers with a squad of officers visited the house and searched the cellar and all the rooms in the house, but were unable to find the men.

They found the bureau drawers had been opened and a box containing valuable jewelry, consisting of two women's watches, rings and diamonds, had been overlooked.

She describes the men who assaulted her, one about 40 years of age, 5 feet 11 inches tall, of slim build, grayish hair, smooth face and wearing a black and white suit. The second man was about 50 years of age, 5 feet 5 inches tall, weighed 140 pounds and wore a blue suit.

Nothing was missing from the house and it is thought that the men were frightened away. Sergt. Powers found no marks of violence on the woman, but did find a large towel tied to the iron bedstead.

There was a circus in Malden yesterday and it is thought by the police that the men might have been following the circus. None of the neighbors living in the vicinity saw the men and several of them were sitting on their piazzas at the time the assault was said to have been committed.

MATRIMONIAL

Mr. William J. Caddell and Miss Nellie Murphy were married Wednesday evening at 6.30 o'clock at the residence of the officiating clergyman, Rev. Mr. Briggs, pastor of the First Pentecostal church. The bride wore gray crepe de chine with satin trimmings and carried bride roses. The bridemaid was Miss Bell Conrad, who carried pink roses. The groom was attended by his brother, Mr. Robert D. Caddell of Marlboro. Following the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride, 19 Farmland road. Refreshments were served and the young ladies in attendance were Misses Jessie Murphy, Reba Jones and Emma Jones. Mr. and Mrs. Caddell were the recipients of many beautiful and costly presents. Amid showers of rice and followed by the congratulations of their many friends, the couple left at 9.15 for their honeymoon and they will visit New York, Philadelphia and several other places of interest before they return.

BROCKWAY—TAIT.

George A. Brockway, popular driver for the American Express company, and Miss Emma J. Tait were married Wednesday evening at the well appointed residence of the groom in Centre street, East Chelmsford. The ceremony was performed by Rev. A. R. Dilts, pastor of the Branch Street Baptist tabernacle, in the presence of the immediate relatives and friends of the contracting parties. The wedding was private because of the recent death of the bride's father, the late Robert Tait of Westford street. The house was prettily decorated for the occasion. The cultivated flower and the vagrant blossom taken from the wild wood, touched, blended and sent forth their sweet perfumes.

The bride was given away by her brother, Mr. Albert Tait of Everett, Mass. She was attired in a beautiful gown of white muslin and carried white roses. The bridemaid was Miss Emma Noyes of East Chelmsford, who wore a gown of white point d'esprit with lace trimmings and valenciennes lace and carried pink roses. Mr. W. H. Brockway, brother of the groom, was best man.

After congratulations had been showered upon the newly wedded couple, a reception followed and supper was served.

Mr. and Mrs. Brockway were the recipients of a number of costly wedding presents. The ushers were Mr. W. H. Noyes, Mr. Walter Boynton and Mrs. Robert Tait.

Mr. and Mrs. Brockway will be at home to their friends at their new home, Centre street, East Chelmsford, after July 1. No cards.

BATHER DROWNED

TWO YOUNG MEN TRIED TO SAVE HIM.

LEBANON, N. H., June 17—Edward Lynch, aged 15 years, was drowned in the Mascoma river yesterday afternoon while in bathing. He was unused to swimming and went into too deep water. Carl Allen, who was with him, and John Mitchell attempted to rescue him. Allen went to the bottom of the river with Lynch holding to his neck.

Doctors worked 45 minutes on the body, applying all known means of resuscitation, but without avail. Lynch was night operator at the telephone office here and lived with his mother Mrs. Kate Lynch, and sisters, Anna and Kate. He attended the public schools here.

SONS OF AMERICAN REVOLUTION.

ST. LOUIS, June 17—The following general officers were elected yesterday by the Society of the Sons of the American Revolution:

President-general James B. Hancock, of Penna.; vice-presidents general, Gen. George H. Uphill of Missouri; John Hall Earnest, of District of Columbia; Col. A. B. Cutler of California; Edward C. Cone, of New York; Charles K. Miller of Illinois; Secretary general and register general, A. Howard Clark, of District of Columbia; treasurer-general, I. W. Bierds, of Connecticut; Historian-general, George W. Bates of Michigan; Chaplain-general, Rev. J. W. Atwood of Ohio.

THE BON MARCHE DRY GOODS COMPANY

We Give S. & H. Green Trading Stamps. "They're Good as Gold"

A SPECIAL SALE OF

SMALLWARES, NOTIONS, JEWELRY AND TOILET GOODS

Opened Yesterday Morning.

As usual, a large and appreciative crowd were in attendance. These sales are an event which economists look forward to for weeks; they have never been disappointed; their expectations have always been realized consequently they make a quick and ready response to our announcements. We can't spare the space in this issue to enumerate the many bargains offered. (Wednesday's papers will give you that information.) We can only give you a bird's-eye-view of the gathering. JUDGE THE WHOLE BY THIS SMALL PART.

No. 1. Brooks' 200 yd. Machine Thread, black, white and colors. Regular price 5c spool. **Sale Price 3 Spools for 10c**

No. 2. Pearl Buttons, sizes 14, 16, 18, 20. Regular price 5c doz. **Sale Price 2 Dozen for 5c**

No. 3. Fancy Frill Elastic, ¾ yd. lengtha Regular price 10c piece. **Sale Price 5c Piece**

No. 4. Large size Pin Cubes, black and assorted pins. Regular price 10c Slightly injured by dampness. **Sale Price 4c a Cube**

No. 5. Hose Supporters, black only; Women's, Misses' and Children's. Regular price 10c pair. **Sale Price 5c a Pair**

No. 6. Canary Carpet and Button Thread black only. Regular price 5c. **Sale Price 3c Spool**

No. 7. Spool Silk, 50 yd. spools, black only. Regular price 3c spool. **Sale Price 3 Spools for 5c**

No. 8. Ball Buttons (pearl with self shank). Regular price 19c and 21c dozen. **Sale Price 12½c Dozen**

No. 9. Wood Back Hair Brushes. The kind for camp. They would sell regularly for 19c. **Sale Price 10c Each**

No. 10. Six-inch Scissors, a 15c grade. **Sale Price 10c Pair**

No. 11. Two-handled Hair Curlers. **Sale Price 2c Each**

No. 12. Tar Soap; good, large cake. Usually 5c. **Sale Price 2 Cakes for 5c**

No. 13. Nail Brushes, with and without handles. Some have wings. Regular price 25c. **Sale Price 16c Each**

No. 14. 7 in. Shears, good steel. A regular 25c grade. The only trouble with them is that a firm name is etched on blade. **Sale Price 15c Each**

No. 15. Rubber Dressing Combs, 8 in size. Regular price 10c. **Sale Price 6c Each**

No. 16. Pearl Waist Sets, 3 in set. Regular price 25c. **Sale Price 10c**

No. 17. Sash Pins; gilt, grey, oxydized and fancy settings. Worth 25c. **Sale Price 10c**

No. 18. Belt Sets; gilt, gun metal, and grey. Worth 25c. **Sale Price 10c**

No. 19. Waist Sets. (36 styles in assortment). Regular price 25c. **Sale Price 5c Set**

No. 20. Hat Pins; silver, gilt and fancy. Regular price 5c. **Sale Price 2c**

No. 21. Real Morocco Chatelaine Bags. Regular price $1.00. **Sale Price 59c**

No. 22. Sterling Silver Cuff Links. Regular price 25c. **Sale Price 15c**

A Special Sale of

Beautiful Ribbons

Opens This Morning

This is an opportune event. It comes right in the midst of the season when these dainty things are in the greatest demand. They are used for innumerable things, graduations, weddings and the thousand and one concoits that have birth in the feminine mind.

THIS IS YOUR CHANCE TO SUPPLY YOUR NEEDS AT VERY LITTLE COST.

A splendid assortment Satin Taffeta Ribbons, in Brown, Beige, Violet, Reseda, Light Green, Light Blue, Champagne, Pink, Lemon, White and Black.

Nos. 40 and 50, regularly 19c and 25c yard .....Now 13c | Nos. 60 and 80, regularly 29c and 35c yard .....Now 17c | No. 100, regularly 39c yard Now 19c

ONE LOT OF FANCY RIBBONS, 4 and 4 1-2 inches wide, worth 25c and 39c yard .....16c YARD

ONE LOT OF SASH RIBBONS, in satin, Satin Liberties and Metallic Taffetas, 6 to 7 1-2 inches wide. Regularly 49c to 89c yard ..... 39c YARD

BABY RIBBON.....1c YARD

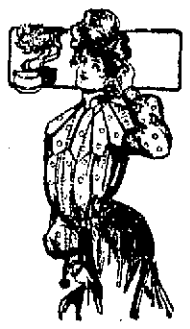
NO. 1 BLACK SATIN BACK VELVET RIBBON, ALL SILK, always sells for 59c piece.....33c PIECE

METALLIC TAFFETA WASH RIBBON, colors and black. 3 in. wide, regular 12 1-2c, now 9c yard. 3 1-2 in. wide, regular 15c and 17c, now 11c yard. 4 in. wide, regular 19c yard, now 14c yard.

A Splendid Value in Children's Coutil Underwaists

The material in a fine firm quality Coutil, corded and stayed the same as any 25c grade should be. However, in many particulars it is not up to our 25c standard. We had a chance to buy 25 dozen of them at a very low price, we did so and they are here today and tomorrow at..... 15c EACH

VERY ATTRACTIVE SHIRT WAISTS



FIGURED DIMITY WAISTS 98c.—Tucked front, with 2 in. lace panel, tucked back, large sleeves, 2 in. cuffs and stock.

BLACK LAWN WAISTS 98c—Tucked front, black buttons, French back, 2 button cuffs and "new" stock.

WHITE LINEN WAISTS, $1.98—Very mannish, broad plaited front, French back, 2 button cuff, new style sleeves, tab stock.

FIGURED MADRAS WAISTS 98c—Front made with eight broad tucks, tucked back, large sleeves, fancy stock, worth $1.50.

WHITE LAWN WAISTS $1.98—Front composed of all over tucking and broad panel and straps of lace insertion, forming yoke front and back, military shoulders, tucked sleeves, cuffs and stock, worth $2.50.

FIGURED TAFFETA SILK WAISTS $3.98—Box plaited front, bust effect, tucked back, sleeves and cuffs; plain stock, with ruch trimmings. The colors are very handsome, changeable green and red, with both stripes and dots, also black, gray and blue figured. A splendid value.

A Sale of

"IDEAL" BED COMFORTS

Without doubt the most desirable summer covering ever produced at a reasonable price. The cotton is light as down, clean, pure and free from specks. Samples may be seen in section where they are sold. The coverings are bright, attractive silkalines in dark or light colorings. The price within the reach of all.

$1.49 each

HOTELS AND LARGE CONSUMERS TAKE NOTICE.

A Special Sale of

P. N. and KABO CORSETS

OPENS THIS MORNING

This store is the mecca for economists in general, corset economists in general. If you have kept track of our store news you no doubt have discovered the fact that we have had some surprising good things lately, and

Now We Have Another Good Thing for You

We have just received 25 DOZEN NO. 825 KABO CORSETS. A model that always sells for $2.00 pair. It is made of coutil, with trimmings at top and bottom of white satin. The boning of course is non-rustable steel; ALSO 25 DOZ. P. N. CORSETS, several styles in this lot, nine worth less than $1.00 pair, one style worth $1.50. No need to extol the virtues of either P. N.'s or Kabo's, you know what they are. The above lots we have put on sale in front of elevator, and marked them

69c pair

MILLINERY PRICES TAKE A TUMBLE

If You Are in Need of a Hat Read Over the Following List:

TRIMMED HATS 98c EACH—Some of them sold for $2.98; trimmings of lace, roses, ribbon, etc.

TRIMMED HATS $1.98—Some of them sold for $4.98; the trimmings are wreaths, foliage, null long ribbon ties.

TRIMMED HATS $1.49 EACH—Some of them sold for $3.98; horse hair braid and chiffon, some have long ties which reach to the knee.

TRIMMED HATS $2.98 EACH—Some of them sold for $5.98; fancy lace tuscans with trimmings of poppies and ribbon.

All of Our Model and Imported Hats. One-Half Price.

A NEW LINE OUTING AND READY-TO-WEAR HATS.

Felts, Fancy Straws and Milan Braid, trimmings of fancy feathers and flowers. Prices range from

Prices range from 39c to $4.98

A HANDSOME 19c VEST FOR 12 1-2c EACH

Jersey ribbed, full bleached, fancy drop stitched, neck has 3 in. lace trimming, a garment that has always sold for nineteen cents; while they last twelve and one-half cents.

Excellent Footwear for Women Folks and the Little Ones

Women's Oxfords $1.49 Pair

New Patterns in fine Vici Kid, with patent or kid tips, heavy or medium soles; also Patent Leather Bluchers, either lace or the new Blucher button.

MISSES' AND CHILDREN'S OXFORDS in tan, patent or kid, 98c pair, all sizes.

BOYS', YOUTHS' AND CHILDREN'S SNEAKERS—black, white or brown, 49c pair.

Bare Foot Sandals, sizes to fit every foot from the smallest baby up, 49c to 98c pair.

Under Price Offerings in the Suit Section

Women's Taffeta and Foulard

Silk Shirt Waist Suits $10 Friday and Saturday

The regular price is $12.50; the designs are very attractive, some of the prettiest shown this season.

WOMEN'S SHIRT WAIST SUITS, FRIDAY AND SATURDAY, $3.98—In chambray and fine ginghams, plain or checked, 15 styles to choose from. Regularly $4.98 and $5.98.

WOMEN'S WALKING SKIRTS, $3.98—Fancy mixtures, mohair, linen, pique and wool materials.

RAIN COATS AND TRAVELLING GARMENTS, $9.98—In fancy mixtures and fine cravenettes. These garments are priced regularly at $10.50, but for Friday and Saturday we mark them $9.98.

CHILDREN'S LINEN GINGHAM AND LAWN ONE-PIECE DRESSES, 98c TO $4.98.

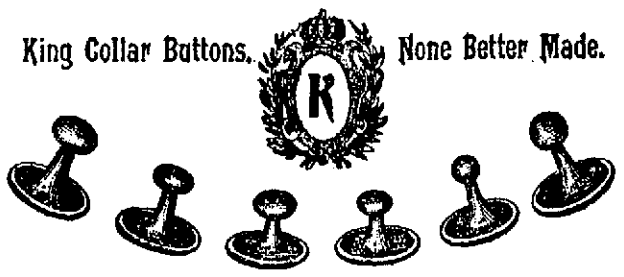
A SPECIAL GINGHAM AT 98c—Worth $1.49, good quality material, in pink, blue, red, plain and broken checks, neatly trimmed with braid and embroidery, sizes up to 14 years.

Important Sale

"KING" Collar Buttons

Marked at a price that will create the liveliest interest among men folks. We have just received 100 gross of this famous Button, a button that sells regularly at 20c for a card of six. Friday and Saturday they go on sale AT 6c FOR A CARD OF SIX.

King Collar Buttons. None Better Made.



They are 10-karat gold filled, made in one piece, no joints to break when you are in a hurry. A choice of six styles for your selection. On sale front of main entrance.

Another Sale of Roses and Pinks Saturday Morning

You know what a mob we had last week, come early and avoid it. THE PRICE WILL BE

1 Cent Each

MR. LADUE QUIT

Again He Failed to Stand the Gaff

JACKSON DOWNED HIM IN 12 MINUTES

And Ladue Refused to Go on the Mat Again

William Ladue, the erstwhile mighty wrestler, went down and out in the estimation of the local sporting public when he quit in his han dicap match with Charles Jackson of Campello, at Huntington hall, last evening. Friends of Ladue had put up the money for his appearance and side bet and had wagered a large amount of money on him. They afterward stated like good sports, that they did not mind losing their money if their man went along and did the best he could but when he deliberately quit on them they felt sore clear through.

Jackson agreed to throw Ladue three times in an hour or lose and if Ladue succeeded in downing Jackson once in that time Jackson would lose. All holds were to go and the flip of a coin to decide the referee.

The wrangling started early when the men came together to select a referee. Ladue insisted upon Nelson Cote, a lightweight wrestler who was refereeing the preliminary, while Jackson was willing to take Luke Walsh, George Gray, Dick Casey, Walter Watkins, Henri Pepin, Con. Desmond, or anyone who knew the game. But Ladue refused to accept any one but Cote and for a short time it looked as if there might be no match.

Finally a friend of Ladue's noticed big Jim Pettigrew, formerly of Lowell, in the audience. Jim in days gone by was the pride of the local Caledonian club at all its picnics. He could wrestle, run, jump, put the shot and throw the hammer and could step to the tune o' the pipes. Moreover Mr. Pettigrew is thoroughly honest and in this case was a disinterested spectator. The friend after considerable coaxing got Ladue's consent to accept Pettigrew, and Jackson accepted him without a murmur.

It was announced by by Timekeeper L. J. Thyne that pin falls only would count and that there would be no rest between falls.

Prior to the match Jackson examined Ladue's back and shoulders suspicious that the local man might have oiled himself as is sometimes done. The oil makes the body greasy and it is next to impossible to get a grip on when thus oiled. Ladue asked the timekeeper and a reporter of The Sun to examine him for the presence of oil and they did, finding none.

The men then went on the mat and the hopes of the Ladue people rose high at the start for Ladue instead of acting in the defensive carried the battle to his opponent and for a time kept him busy. At one time Ladue got a strangle hold on Jackson and for a moment it looked decidedly bad for Jackson. The latter's only hope was to rush Ladue off the mat and this he did, the two going some 20 feet across the floor in the rush.

The referee ordered the men back to the mat and to take the same hold. The men wrangled over the hold for a few seconds and then Ladue placed the nerl and the referee said: "Go." Instantly Jackson by brute strength grasped Ladue by the legs and raised himself off the mat lifting Ladue with him and thus breaking the dread strangle hold. Then he got Ladue under him on the mat and after that it was all Jackson.

After much fiddling Jackson put on a banner lock that got Ladue in the proper position for a shift to an up-end arm hold which brought Ladue in the position of a man standing on his head, but so phioned as to prevent him creeling around in his head. In this position Jackson slowly forced Ladue's shoulders to the mat and when they had rested on the mat three seconds Referee Pettigrew declared Jackson winner of the first fall. The time was 11 minutes, 48 seconds.

The men immediately resumed their seats though as soon as the announcement of the fall was made Jackson was on the mat again demanding that Ladue come out and wrestle without resting as per agreement. Ladue sat in his chair while his attendant, Mickey Larkin fanned him with a towel.

The referee went over to Ladue and ordered him to proceed with the second fall but Ladue without getting off the chair began to protest against the manner in which the referee had used him claiming that after having the strangle hold on Jackson when they went off the mat he was not allowed to put it on again when they returned to the mat.

After about three minutes Referee Pettigrew again asked Ladue to go on the mat while the crowd yelled at Jackson to tackle him where he sat. Ladue arose from his chair and instead of going on the mat faced the crowd and started to argue.

Referee Pettigrew then declared Jackson the winner of the match.

The crowd hissed and booted Ladue as he went to his dressing room and several hundred waited for him to go out. As they followed him down to the box office it looked as though he was due for rough handling. At the box office Ladue found that his share of the receipts had been attached by Constable Gately on behalf of Jackson who claimed that Ladue obtained $35.64 on Memorial night after forfeiting his share of the receipts by refusing to wrestle.

Ladue then went out of the hall followed by the crowd and turned down Shattuck street where he was soon lost in the darkness.

For preliminaries, Young Barrett and Young Chaput wrestled to a draw.

The Sun long ago informed the public that Ladue wrestling matches would bear watching and The Sun was right as subsequent events have shown. Reinecke laid down to him and even Jackson who last night made him quit, laid down to him on a former occasion. The Sun will continue to show up any fake sporting events as they come along, even as it did the Ladue matches, last winter.

Have you guessed on the world's fair contest at the Merrimack? It costs nothing to guess and you may win $25.

WARREN STATUE

WAS DEDICATED IN ROXBURY TODAY.

BOSTON, June 17.—A monument in honor of General Jas. Warren was dedicated in Roxbury in the presence of thousands of persons today.

After the presentation of the statue to the city of Boston by the art commission, and the unveiling, Mayor Patrick A. Collins delivered an address of 50 minutes duration. An oration by Henry W. Putnam followed.

Later a parade was formed under Chief Marshall Isaac P. Gregg. In the line were detachments from the Ninth regiment, Roxbury Horse Guards, Grand Army, Sons of Veterans, Spanish War Veterans, firemen, school cadets and Masonic lodges.

After the parade Governor Bates, Mayor Collins, Hon. Charles S. Hamlin and Hon. Charles Gallagher made appropriate addresses. The statue is a joint gift of the city of Boston and the people of Roxbury and is the work of Paul W. Bartlett, the artist-sculptor.

Boys' confirmation suits of pure worsted cheviot, well made and good fitting, at $2.00 a suit, at the Merrimack—worth a dollar more.

RAILROAD OFFICIALS

WILL INSPECT LEHIGH AND HUDSON PROPERTY.

PHILADELPHIA, June 17—President Baer, of the Reading company; President Truesdale, of the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western railroad; President Thomas, of the Lehigh Valley railroad; President Riley of the Lehigh Coal and Navigation company and Third Vice President Provost of the Penna., left this city for a tour of inspection of the Lehigh and Hudson railroad property.

The above named companies are owners of the Lehigh and Hudson railroad company. It is understood that the holdings of the Lehigh Coal and Navigation company are to be taken over by the other four. The securing of the Lehigh and Hudson will prevent any foreign road from gaining an entrance in to the anthracite coal fields, except that which the Lehigh and Hudson and the Lehigh and New England railroads can furnish. While the Lehigh Coal and Navigation company holds a half interest in the Lehigh and New England it is understood that it represents other anthracite coal carriers. It is said the inspection is for the purpose of agreeing on a number of improvements and the double-tracking of the lines.

ELECTRIC SHINE.

People that have silver or plated ware should read Wood's wonderful offer in silver polish sale. Something you should never be without. Bottle of it will save labor and do the work in short order. Call at G. H. Wood's for the goods. See adv. in this issue.

O'Donnell's wedding hacks can't be beat.

WILL SUE FOR $100,000.

DENVER, Col., June 17—Former Governor Charles S. Thomas, it is announced, is preparing papers in behalf of James F. Burns, President and manager of the Portland mine, in a damage suit, which Burns will bring against Governor James S. Peabody, Adt. Gen. Sherman M. Bell and the state of Colorado for $100,000 for the closing of the Portland mine by the military.

Attorneys Richardson and Hawkins, acting for Charles H. Moyer, president of the Western Federation of Miners, are drafting papers in a suit for $50,000 damages which Moyer is to file against Gov. Peabody, Adjutant Bell and the state of Colorado.

Moyer's action is based on a charge of false imprisonment by the military authorities.

Fine black suits for first communion and confirmation at the Merrimack. All worsted clay suits are selling at $3.

HELD IN $3000.

BOSTON, June 17—Augustine A. Gale, 19 years old, was arraigned in the municipal court late yesterday and held in $3,000 bail on the charge of manslaughter. Gale is alleged to have struck William Golding, on May 28, causing injuries that resulted in the latter's death.

IT'S HERE

The hot weather has at last put in an appearance. Now, look out for bugs. If you suspect the presence of roaches, bed bugs, ants, or any other kind of insect use Howard's Dead Easy, a guaranteed destroyer and preventive of every form of household vermin; 25 cents at druggists or of the maker, Howard, the druggist, 197 Central street.

ANNUAL LAWNPARTY

OF THE LADIES AUXILIARY, A. O. H.

Great interest centres in the picnic of the Ladies Auxiliary, A. O. H., at Mountain Rock tomorrow afternoon and evening. The ladies are preparing to surprise their friends with features that are sure to delight everybody. The affair takes the form of a lawn party and dancing, concert, base ball and sports will furnish a variety of entertainment rarely equalled.

All the cars needed will be run to Mountain Rock during the afternoon and anybody who misses the extras can go on the Nashua. Arrangements are made for Chinese lantern display in the evening.

Wool crash walking skirts, fine tailorder, worth $5.00, selling at $3.95, at the Merrimack Clothing Co.—Women's Dept.

HOUSE RANSACKED

ROBBERS ENTERED JULIA WARD HOWE'S HOME.

NEWPORT, R. I., June 17.—The summer home of Mrs. Julia Ward Howe, at Portsmouth, was entered yesterday and completely ransacked.

The house has not yet been opened for the summer, and until some member of the family arrives here and makes an investigation it will be impossible to say how extensive were the operations of the burglars.

AT LAKEVIEW.

There will be fireworks and a band concert at Lakeview park Saturday night.

FIRST COMMUNION SUITS.

An all worsted cheviot suit at $2 and a pure worsted clay suit at $3 are the leaders offered by the Merrimack Clothing Co. this week. Either suit is well made, and worth a dollar more than the price quoted.

NOTICE!

L. French Marble

The celebrated eyesight specialist, will continue to give to those afflicted free examination and as a special inducement will fit them with the best ALASKA PEBBLE LENSES for $2.00. Regular price $5.00.

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They are pure colors, ground in pure linseed oil. We guarantee it.

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We will call and clean out your furnace and put everything in good condition for next season. We do all kinds of Tin Work, Roofing, Soldering and also keep the best line of Ranges on the market at 147 Market street.

Have You Bought a

Refrigerator

This Season

If not, you're really fortunate for now you have an opportunity to get one of any size you require. Hard wood, galvanized iron lining, asbestos mineral wool felt packing; an ice saver and food keeper, for a fourth off from regular price.

BELLEFONTAINE & CO.
Furniture, Carpets and Rugs
197-199 Middlesex Street.

The FLAT IRON

Corner Gorham, South and Locke Streets, Opposite Court House

Call and See Our Premium Display

If you can't get the article you want with your stamps, give us a call and we will give you any of the following articles.

If you wanted a 5 book sideboard and only had two books filled we allow you so much for books and you can pay the balance.

Our one book rugs are the talk of the town.

ONE BOOK—Rugs, Clocks, Rockers, Toilett Sets, Mirrors, Porch Rockers, Lamps, Draperies, Pictures.

TWO BOOKS—Morris Chairs, McKinley Rockers, Parlor Lamps, Hat Racks, Couches, Chiffoniers.

THREE BOOKS—Mahogany Music Cabinets, Book Cases.

FIVE BOOKS—Side Boards, China Closets.

630 Stamps—7 piece Berry Set.
680 Stamps—5 piece Gold Glassware.
800 Stamps—Parlor Rocker.
680 Stamps—Ball, bat, mask and gloves.
300 Stamps with 1 lb. Tea, Coffee, Baking Powder $1.45
150 Stamps with 1 lb. Assam Tea....70c
20 Stamps with 10c cake Almond Cream Soap.
150 Stamps with 1 lb. English Breakfast Tea 70c
100 Stamps with 1 lb. Oolong Tea..60c
120 Stamps with 1 lb. Best Baking Powder 50c
All Kinds of Stamps.

LADIES,

This is your chance before going on your vacation to attend our

SPECIAL MANUFACTURERS' SALE

Beginning June 17th and Continuing for One Week Only

We shall cut prices on all goods. Come early and get the best pick from all of our up-to-date

Bags, Belts, Pocket Books and Leather Novelties

A FEW SPECIALS:

One lot of 50c Back Combs.... 19c
One lot of Student Bags.... 21c
One lot of Peggy from Paris Bags....25c, 39c, 49c
One lot of White Bags.... 47c
One lot of Velvet Bags.... 89c
One lot of Chain Purses.... 19c
One lot of Tam Purses.... 37c
One lot of Purse Buckles.... 39c
One lot of Crushed Silk Belts (all colors).... 49c
One lot of Crushed Leather Belts (all colors).... 37c
And All Our Best Goods Marked Down Accordingly.

The Gallant Bag Manufacturing Co.
114 Central Street

Double Dark Blue Trading Stamps
Throughout the Store Friday and Saturday

A Big Drop in Clothing Values

The Balance of

Hart, Schaffner & Marx

Spring line of fine Suits made to sell at $15, $18, $20, $22 and $25 placed on sale at two prices

$12.50 and $15.00

This collection represents the cream of Hart, Schaffner & Marx spring stock. Choice fabrics and colorings made up in the latest shapes and styles which are exclusive with them, it is a collection of suits that will appeal to the man who wants the best there is in ready-to-wear clothing and who is accustomed to pay the highest price to obtain it. To these we say there is no better clothing made than that made by Hart, Schaffner & Marx, and the prices we name hardly cover the cost of manufacturing, Hart, Schaffner & Marx finest suits at

$12.50 and $15.00

Young Men's Black Suits For Graduation

Both double and single breasted styles in Cheviots, Vicunas, Thibets and undressed Worsteds, also a fine line of Blue Serges in same styles at

$10, $12, $15, $18, $20, $22, $25.

Boys' Black Suits for First Communion and Confirmation

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GIRL ASSAULTED

Police Sergeant Accused of Attack

BOSTON, June 17—Eye-witnesses claim that Sergt. E. A. Webster of station 15, in the presence of Capt. Wyman of the same station brutally beat and assaulted a young girl in the station house early this morning, one of a trio arrested for riotous conduct in City square.

The trouble started at Sullivan square. Two prettily attired girls, accompanied by three young men, were making their way along Main street, in the direction of Boston, laughing and talking and enjoying themselves generally. Suddenly they were accosted by some Charlestown thugs, who passed remarks which were objected to by the escorts of the young women. In a moment a fight was in progress. Hundreds gathered, and the quarrelling men and girls were followed to City square, where the police of Charlestown division, attracted by their cries, rushed to the scene.

Capt. Wyman and Sergt. Webster of division 15, together with Patrolman Morse of station 5 and several other officers, rushed upon the crowd. Sergt. Webster grabbed one of the girls and attempted to place her under arrest. She screamed for aid and one of the young men jumped in.

Blows were exchanged, the sergeant's helmet was knocked from his head and a deep gash was cut in the head of one of the young men, who later gave the name of William Gateley. The girls screamed, kicked and scratched frantically, and made efforts to tear themselves from the grasp of the officers. The officers surrounded the fighting parties, and with drawn clubs drove the crowd which had gathered before them.

The girls were literally dragged head foremost to the station house, but a few yards away. They appeared not under the influence of liquor, but hysterical from fright and enraged at what they thought to be an outrage committed upon them.

Nellie Gateley claiming to be the wife of the young man hurt was thrown upon the station house floor as she entered. She kicked and screamed and Sergt. Webster said that one of her feet came in contact with his head. In return he knelt upon the young woman thrust his knee upon her breast and hit her savagely.

Capt. Wyman witnessed the affair, but offered no protest.

"I'm a lady and I can prove it! This is an outrage! Have you not a sister or mother?" in anguish the young woman cried to the officer as he knelt upon her.

The sergeant only sneered.

Her companion, Florence McKenzie, called for water for the injured girl, but the officers paid no attention to her. She lay for some moments in a stupor upon the floor when two officers yanked her to her feet and she was booked before the captain. She gave her residence as Charlestown.

The girl, who called herself Nellie Gateley, said she was 18 years old and her companion, Florence McKenzie, claimed to be two years older. Both were neatly attired, young and pretty, and bore marks of refinement.

The young man who was arrested with them gave his name as William Gateley, and said he was the husband of Nellie. He said he was utterly at a loss to account for the action of the officers. They were locked in cells after having been booked.

During the progress of the fight in the station house, the witnesses and newspapermen present were ordered from the room, several being ejected bodily, and it was some time before they were again admitted, in order to record the arrests of the evening.

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As the owners of these lots are about to leave the city, I have been instructed to sell regardless for what they will bring.

Terms of sale: $50 must be paid on each lot at time and place of sale; balance in 20 days.

Per order

JOHN G. HUSTON,
JAMES PURCELL.

NEVER HEADED

The Thomas Horse Won Suburban Handicap

NEW YORK, June 17.—Hermis, owned by Edward R. Thomas, easily won the Suburban handicap at Sheepshead Bay yesterday. The son of Hermence was on his toes when the barrier snapped. He crossed in front of six competitors, from the outside, and passed the judges' stand in the lead on his journey of one and one-quarter miles. From the position of command thus secured on the rail, he was never headed, and won, under a perfect ride, by Arthur Redfern, in the time of 2.05—the best on record for the Suburban, and two-fifths of a second slower than the track record of 2.04 3-5 held by McChesney. Irish Lad, the public favorite, failed entirely to justify the confidence of his backers and finished third—nosed out of second honors by The Picket. The summaries:

First, six furlongs on main track. Mamie Worth, 113, Burns, 9 to 5, and 1 to 2, won; Mizzen, 118, Bullman, 20 to 1, and 6 to 1, second; Reliable, 140, J. Boland, even and 2 to 3 third. Time—1.13 1-5.

Second, selling, one mile. Seymour, '98, Travers, 6 to 1, and 2 to 1, won; Letola, 96, Coleman, 4 to 1, and 8 to 5, second; The Southerner 111, Fisher, 30 to 1 and 10 to 1, third. Time—1.40.

Third, double event, last five and a half furlongs of futurity course, Song and Wine, 126, O'Neil, 10 to 4, and out, won; Sparkling Star, 117, Redfern, 100 to 1, and 30 to 1, second; Council, 122, Shaw, 10 to 1, and 5 to 2, third. Time—1.07 3-5.

Fourth race, Suburban handicap of $20,000, for 3-year-olds and upwards: one and one-quarters miles; Hermis, 127, Redfern, 4 to 1, and even, won; The Picket, 124, Helgesen, 5 to 1, and 6 to 5 second; Irish Lad, 127, Shaw even and 2 to 5, third. Time - 2.05. Propper, Major Dangerfield and Africander finished as named.

Fifth, last five furlongs fo futurity course; Diamond Flush, 115, Shaw 11 to 5, and even; Won; Don Royal, 118, Martin, 6 to 1, and 2 to 1, second; Delcanta, 118, Lyne, 30 to 1, and 12 to 1, third. Time—1.01 2-5.

Sixth, handicap, one mile and a sixteenth on turf. Leader, 110, Bullman, 6 to 1, and 2 to 1, won; Carbuncle, 109, Martin, 3 to 1 and even, second, Sweet Alice, 92, Notter 30 to 1, and 12 to 1, third. Time 1.48.

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BUNKER HILL DAY

Is Being Observed in Charlestown

BOSTON, June 17—The celebration of the anniversary of the battle of Bunker Hill, which was fought 129 years ago today, began before sunset last night and will continue until midnight tonight. Fireworks, firecrackers, band concerts, social and fraternal meetings and appropriate literary and historic exercises in the Charlestown district comprised last night's events. Throughout the length and breadth of the Charlestown district, many individuals and every club kept "open house."

The principal centres of interest were in City square and in the vicinity of the Bunker Hill monument. A police order had been promulgated forbidding the exploding of fireworks before four o'clock this morning, but this order was chiefly honored in the breach. Up to midnight six arrests had been made of persons who were caught violating this order.

According to their usual custom, King Solomon's lodge of Masons conducted commemorative exercises about the Bunker Hill monument last evening. The lodge placed a laurel wreath on the facsimile of the original monument erected by the lodge on the present site of the more famous granite one. Past Worshipful Master Ernest C. Marshall was the orator of the occasion.

Last night's general celebration was marked by an unusually large number of accidents due to the careless handling of fireworks.

ROUGH HOUSE

MEN TRIED TO CAPTURE A SALOON.

BOSTON, June 17—A lively "rough house" marked the close of a garden party in Apollo garden, Roxbury, last evening, and six young men were arrested by the police of division 10 for participating in it. The men taken into custody are John Maguire, John Magee, George Griffin, George Smith, John Daley and Frank Maher.

A few moments before 11 o'clock Lieut. Fessenden was notified that a gang of men had taken possession of the saloon of Jacob Bochner on Amory st. and was creating a disturbance there. He sent the patrol wagon with a squad of police under Sergt. O'Neil, and when the officers arrived there was a crowd of more than 100 in the vicinity of the saloon watching the struggle between a number of intoxicated men in the saloon.

Upon the arrival of the police, the crowd scattered, but the men in the barroom, mentioned above, were taken into custody.

DIAMONDS GONE

WOMAN HID THEM IN HER SHOES.

BOSTON, June 17.—Mrs. Josephine M. Sorenson of 266 West Canton street reported the loss of jewelry worth $1015, mostly in diamonds, to the police of station 6 yesterday afternoon.

According to her story she was in the habit of keeping her jewelry in one of her shoes. Yesterday she found it necessary to have the shoe repaired, but did not remember that the diamonds were in it.

She called her colored maid, Ella Galloway, and told her to take the shoes to a repairer on Columbus avenue. His name is Leo Monfredo and his shop is at 368A Columbus avenue. The shoes were sent to the repairer at 1.30 o'clock in the afternoon. While the girl was gone Mrs. Sorenson says she recalled the fact that she had secreted the diamonds in one of the shoes, and upon the girl's return she asked her if she had brought them back. The girl replied that she had not seen them.

The police of station 5 visited Monfredo, to whom the shoes had been sent, but he said there were no diamonds in the shoes when he received them from the servant. The mystery is what became of the jewelry.

The articles reported lost are:

A diamond sunburst brooch worth $500.

A crescent-shaped diamond pin worth $250.

A turquoise ring worth $150.

A sapphire ring worth $75.

A moonstone ring worth $40.

SECRETARY MOODY

WILL GLADLY ACCEPT ATTORNEY GENERALSHIP.

HAVERHILL, June 17.—Sec. of the Navy Moody returned to Washington yesterday in response to an unexpected summons. He would not say what the business was which required his presence there, but did not deny that it was in reference to his appointment as attorney general and the turning over of the navy portfolio to his successor.

His intimate friends in this city all recognize the fact that the change will be made, and believe that it is particularly agreeable to Mr. Moody and may result in a longer stay in the capital than he has heretofore intended.

BIGAMY CHARGED

A BOSTON MAN IS UNDER ARREST.

PROVIDENCE, June 17.—Edgar B. Kelley of Boston, a butcher, who came to Providence not long ago, pleaded not guilty in the court of common pleas yesterday to an indictment alleging bigamy. He was held in $1500 for trial before a jury the last part of the month.

The indictment charges that Kelley married Gertrude Strob in Boston, Jan. 21, 1894, and that he married Mary Granfield in Providence, June 19, 1901.

SUBURBAN HANDICAP.

NEW YORK, June 17.—The Suburban handicap was run yesterday. By 2 o'clock, half an hour before the first race, the grand stand, club house, field and lawns were filled. Shorthose, the Gaughachues' stable candidate for blue ribbon honors was scratched early leaving six horses to go. The track was in grand condition. Western interest centered in The Picket and Proper, winner and third, respectively in the Brooklyn handicap, but owing to the penalty of added weight given out to The Picket the eastern backers pinned their faith to Irish Lad, as they did in the Brooklyn. Hermis, too, had an army of supporters owing to his splendid showing in the Brooklyn handicap and the evident improvement in his condition. With only six starters the suburban gave promise of being one of the most thrilling struggles for turf honors and a purse of $20,000 ever witnessed on the turf.

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Cloak, Suit and Infants' Wear Departments

WE take pardonable pride in announcing to the shopping public the Opening of our Women's, Misses' and Infants' Ready-to-wear Departments. Located on our second floor, reached by a broad stairway, we have spared no expense in making these the most up-to-date departments in the state. An opportunity such as this, where all the most exclusive and exquisite conceptions are displayed for your inspection, is seldom met with, and the event is one of far-reaching importance. One month ago we opened our first floor and basement. Judging from the comments we have heard from traveling salesmen, and the public in general we have one of the finest and best appointed stores in New England. It is only right to remind our patrons of these things. The elegant becomes the common place through association and one comes to take for granted that the store and its stocks must be charming. A visit to our establishment will bear out all we claim. With a united organization and a progressive policy we throw open the entire three floors of GILBRIDE'S CORNER STORE to the shoppers of Lowell.

At 98c

We open up our new Wash Skirt Department with 25 dozen Skirts at 98c each. In entirely new and distinct styles, colors black and white, and blue and white, and black and white polka dot duck, $1.50 values.

At $1.49

Fancy Cheviot Skirts, 11 gore, all seams bound. In a variety of pretty designs, would ordinarily sell for $3.00.

At $1.98

A fine assortment of Irish Linen Skirts made to stand strenuous wear. This is a regular $3.50 Skirt.

WASH SUITS

At $1.98

There's not an item in this entire annoucement that is not a money saver. A fine French Cambric Suit made up in dainty and exclusive patterns, full blouse and full flare skirt, $1.98 instead of $2.98

At $7.98

Pure Irish Linen Suits, handsomely made and finished. The coat is 30 inches long with inverted plait strap across back. Box front collar. less, in colors of blue, tan and white, real value $10.00. Special $7.98.

At $3.98

Walking Skirts, worth $6.98. Prettily made, of all wool mixtures and men's wear material. The manufacturers figured on selling these at $6.98, our opening price $3.98.

At 49c

We're bound to sell Shirt Waists if we can make the price an inducement, and you have our personal guarantee that the values in every instance are even better than represented. Here's the story: at 49c a fine White Lawn Waist trimmed with embroidery, well worth 98c.

At 98c

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HEART PUNCTURED

WONDERFUL SURGICAL OPERATION PERFORMED.

CHICAGO, June 17.—A surgical operation, said to have been but once before successfully paralleled in surgical history, is believed to have been accomplished here, saving the life of 35-year-old Edward Peltz, who attempted to commit suicide. Peltz fired at bullet into his heart while despondent over loss of employment. With death impending at every tick of the watch, Dr. Carl Wagner of St. Joseph's hospital, placed six stitches in the bullet-torn heart, effectually stopping the hemorrhage. The patient's condition is said at the hospital to warrant the belief that he will recover. The bullet, which had pierced the lungs and passed through the heart, was found in the thoracic cavity and removed.

CRY OF "MURDER"

FALL RIVER POLICE COULD NOT FIND VICTIM.

FALL RIVER, June 17.—Several persons who claimed to be on a wharf reported to the police that they heard cries of "murder" last night from an adjoining wharf followed by a splash in the dock and the hurried flight of two men.

The police dragged the water for about four hours, but found no trace of the body. Later they learned that three men were seen going in the direction of the wharf shortly before the cries are reported to have been heard.

Everything up to date at O'Donnell's stables.

FOURTH OF JULY EXCURSION.

A grand opportunity for enjoying the holiday is to take the Boston & Maine trip to Niagara Falls at the very low rate of $10.40 for the round trip via the West Shore and $9.90 via the Delaware & Hudson and Erie. Tickets are good going on all regular trains July 1st to 3d; returning on regular trains not after July 4th.

GROWING WORSE

FRIENDS FEAR THAT PREUSSER IS INSANE.

ALBANY, N. Y., June 17.—Friends of Richard E. Preusser, under indictment for the murder of Miles B. McDonnell of Boston, who have been hoping that his mental condition might improve with the rest and quiet brought on by his incarceration at the jail, say they are beginning to fear the worst.

His actions have been decidedly strange for several days, and Drs. Schutter and Houghton have been watching the progress of his case with renewed interest. In response to a query yesterday in regard to Preussers' condition, Dr. Schutter tapped his forehead in the significant manner used to indicate that sanity had taken flight.

Preusser busied himself yesterday afternoon doing a lot of writing. When asked by his jailer what he had written, he said in all seriousness that he had been counting the tiny lumps of coal as they were dumped into a cellar opposite by some coal heavers. He declared he had only missed two out of the whole consignment.

Mrs. Preusser arranges his bed in the daintiest manner every day, and as soon s she leaves the cell her husband piles the bedclothes in another portion of the room.

He said he felt tired yesterday and attributed it to the fact that he had been auomobiling all night. He said the automobile kept going around in a circle and never stopped, but he was not afraid. Another fellow, who, he said, was riding with him for a short time, jumped out, and Preusser laughed heartily at the fellow's cowardice.

Preusser smokes cigarettes constantly.

THE PROPAGANDA

WILL NOT DECIDE FR. SULLIVAN'S CONTROVERSY.

ROME, June 17.—According to reliable information the congregation of the propaganda has not rendered and will not render any decision regarding the long standing controversy between Bishop P. A. Ludden of the diocese of Syracuse, N. Y., and the Rev. John E. O'Sullivan of Camillus, Onandaga county, in that state. On the occasion of the last visit to Rome of Bishop Ludden the vatican authorities approved his attitude towards Fr. O'Sullivan.

Almost 20 years ago Father O'Sullivan was tried by the state courts on a serious charge and found guilty. His case was appealed but it never came to trial again. As the result of the charge against the priest he was suspended from all ecclesiastical functions but after a lapse of ten years was reinstated by the vatican. Bishop Ludden ,however, refused to give him a parish, and it was because of this refusal that the case was again brought to the attention of the congregation of the propaganda.

REV. JOHN CANNING DEAD.

EXETER, N. H., June 17.—Word was received here last night of the death in Boston of Rev. Father John Canning, one of the most prominent priests in New Hampshire, and pastor of St. Michael's church here. Father Canning, who was 70 years of age, was born in Scotland. His first parish was at Machias, Me.

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OFFICERS ELECTED

BY ANCIENT ORDER OF UNITED WORKMEN.

CHATTANNOGA, Tenn., June 17.—In addition to considering several important executive questions yesterday the supreme lodge, Ancient Order United Workmen meeting in annual convention at Lookout Mountain elected officers for the ensuing year. The following supreme officers were chosen:

Past supreme master workman, Webb McNall, Gaiford, Kas.

Supreme master workman, W. M. Hardie, Muscatin, Ia.

Supreme foreman, William Colvig, Jacksonville, Oregon.

Supreme recorder, W. M. Sackett, Meadville, Pa.

Supreme receiver, H. B. Dickinson, Buffalo, N. Y.

Supreme guide, L. C. Merrill, Concord, N. H.

Supreme watchman, S. B. Ritchie, Winnipeg, Man.

The superior lodge, the woman's branch of he order, elected these officers:

Past Superior chief of honor, Mrs. Irene M. Raiks, Buffalo, N. Y.; superior chief of honor Mrs. Buella K. Webster, Belding, Mich.; superior lady of honor, Mrs. Hattie W. Breggs, Portland, Oregon; superior recorder, Mrs. Elizabeth E. Alburn, Sioux City, Ia.; superior receiver, Mrs. Emma S. Bicknell, Manchester, N. H.

O'Donnell's funeral hacks are the neatest.

ROOSEVELT CONDEMNED.

HOT SPRINGS, Ark., June 17.—After discussing for three hours the platform committee report the democratic state convention adopted the platform and adjourned.

The platform defers to that body a specific declaration of principles, upon national questions and declares:

"We condemn President Roosevelt, among other things, especially for his public and private conduct intended to stir up bitterness between the different sections of the country and to make the negro believe he is the social equal and otherwise equal of the white man."

SCHILLER ELECTROCUTED.

COLUMBUS, O., June 17—Michael Schiller, of Youngstown, O., a wife murderer was electrocuted at the Ohio penitentiary at midnight. Reports from the prison say there was a hitch in the execution and the condemned revived 3 times after the electric current had been applied.

ST. LOUIS FAIR

HAS BEEN A FINANCIAL SUCCESS SO FAR.

ST. LOUIS, June 17.—World's fair officials are very much pleased with the financial condition of the fair as indicated by the payment of the first installment on the government loan, which was made yesterday. The following statement by Secretary Stevens was made to the Associated Press last night:

"The Louisiana purchase exposition yesterday paid into the United States treasury at St. Louis $195,057.04, being the first payment on the loan of $4,600,000 made by congress. This sum was 40 per cent. of the receipts of the exposition from admissions and concessions during the first 15 days of June, that being the percentage required under the act of congress. The gross receipts paid into the exposition treasury for the 15 days was $487,642.60."

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HEIRS' SALE OF THE DUFFEE ESTATE: A FOUR-TENEMENT HOUSE AND ABOUT 2176 SQUARE FEET OF LAND, AT NO. 14 CROSS STREET.

On the above date, at the premises, regardless of the weather or conditions, we shall offer for sale our four-tenement house, to the highest bidder. The sale will be absolute, and we must be content with the price obtained.

The house comprises four small tenements of four rooms each, they are in good repair and have the best of sewerage and water services. The tenants have lived there a long time and are a class that always pay their rents promptly.

We regret very much to part with this property, as it has always rented at a steady rental of $360 a year, and we are sure it will make a grand investment to the purchaser. This is an excellent chance for some man of moderate means; where he could have his own tenement and the income of three others; it is in a fine location, being the second property on Cross street from Suffolk; it is very convenient to schools and churches, and within ten minutes' walk to many large industries. If you are looking for a solid investment, it will pay you to look this property up.

TERMS: $300 must be paid to the auctioneer as soon as the property is struck off; other terms at sale. Make all inquiries at the office of the auctioneer.

By the order of the heirs,

SARAH DUFFEE,
LOUISA DUFFEE.

Monday, June 20, at 3.30 o'clock

STORE, TENEMENT AND ABOUT 1584 SQUARE FEET OF LAND AT NOS. 470 AND 472 SUFFOLK STREET, BETWEEN MOODY AND MERRIMACK STREETS.

For reasons best known to myself, I will make positive sale by public auction, of this parcel of property situated on the westerly side of Suffolk street, within 100 feet of Merrimack street, between Russell and Lennon properties. The lot contains about 1584 square feet of land. The building contains a store with two rooms in rear and a tenement of six rooms. The location is central and for a little money expended for improvement it should be made to pay a good rental. The sale will be positive, regardless of the weather, and the terms will be $350, to be paid to the auctioneer at time and place of sale; other terms at sale. Make all inquiries at the office of the auctioneer.

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5 cases of untrimmed hats in Tuscan, champagne, castor, navy and black, all beautiful shapes, worth from $1.25 to $1.98, for this sale **48c**

10 cases of white straw hats in all the best shapes for this sale **75c,** worth double the money.

5 cases of plaid hats in all the leading shapes including such as the gage hats, never sold less than $2.25 and $2.50, for this sale **75c,** all beauties.

10 cases of Tuscan hats in all beautiful shapes including the Alice Roosevelt shape, regular $1.50, $1.75, $1.98 and $2.25, for this sale **98c**

10 cases of untrimmed hats in all colors and desirable shapes, for this sale **25c,** regular 98c.

5 cases of untrimmed hats in all colors, regular 69c hats, for this sale **15c**

5 cases of children's untrimmed hats, regular 48c shapes, for this sale **15c**

3 cases of children's untrimmed hats, regular 75c and 98c, for this sale **25c and 48c**

200 children's trimmed hats suitable for the country and beach **75c, 98c, $1.25, $1.48,** all worth double the money.

100 trimmed hats for children, all beautiful, with flowers and ribbon for **$1.25,** regular $2.50 and $3.

200 trimmed hats, regular $2.50 and $3.50, for this sale **98c**

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300 trimmed hats, all beauties, **$1.48, $1.98, $2.50 and $2.98.**

2 cases of outing hats for **48c,** regular $1.50.

5 cases of outing hats for **75c,** regular $1.98 and $2.25

10 cases of outing hats for **98c,** regular $2.50 and $3.50

Flowers in all colors, **10c, 15c and 25c a bunch.**

Wings in all shades, **10c, 15c, 25c, 37c and 48c.**

Chiffon veil for **48c, 75c and 98c.**

Untrimmed chiffon hats in all colors for **98c.**

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